

NOTICE

red, Carpenters of Norway hereby give public notice April 1, 1933, nine hours shall work for ourselves and our the rate to be charged for remain as at the present time.

W. S. Sloan,
C. H. Adams,
Charles Walker,
M. M. Fuller,
G. D. Swift,
Samson Scribner,
J. Q. Pratt,
Wm. C. Cole,
G. M. Giles,
C. P. Berry,
J. B. Field,
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SHURTLEFF & CO.

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W. FAUNCE, Salesman.

Residence, 119-12.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Pure paint every atom of it, New Era. Wm. C. Leavitt sells it.

Nice Navel oranges 15 for 25c at E. F. Bicknell's.

Hart Schaffner & Marx clothing at Foster's.

See the line of white goods for graduation dresses at Thomas Smiley's.

Most time for suckers, you can get your spears of E. F. Bicknell.

Spring hats at Foster's.

B. Knuppenheimer guaranteed clothes at Foster's.

New waists, suits and skirts at Thomas Smiley's.

Spring caps at Foster's.

All the new spring styles in hats and caps, the kinds you ought to wear at F. H. Noyes Co. Blue Stores, Norway and South Paris.

L. W. Dutton, corner Fern and Pine streets, is to sell his household goods at auction, Saturday, March 23, at 1 o'clock.

Painting and carpenter's tools, chairs, mirrors, pictures, carpets, dishes, organs, sewing machine, horse blankets, etc. Geo. A. Cole, auctioneer.

Seventeen and one-half pounds to the gallon, New Era. Wm. C. Leavitt sells it.

Ladies, you will find a large line this spring's styles in Ready-to-Wear hats at Mrs. Hill's. Call and see them.

Lamson & Hubbard hats at F. H. Noyes Co.'s, agents for Norway and Paris. They are perfect comfort, wear twice as long, look well twice as long as any other make. Try one.

Have your harness cleaned and oiled at the Tucker Harness Store.

Come and see how your house will appear painted with New Era. Wm. C. Leavitt sells it.

Spring overcoats, short and medium length at F. H. Noyes Co.'s.

5000 rolls of wall paper at Stone's, all new designs.

Lipped oil, lead and zinc, nothing else, New Era. Wm. C. Leavitt sells it.

Vellings, all the new spring patterns, at Mrs. Hill's.

The business year of Norway Village Corporation closes April 1st and all claims against the corporation are requested to be presented to one of the assessors before that time. Please attend to it at once.

F. H. Noyes Co. have their new spring suits, men's, young men's, ready to show you. Drop in and look them over.

The only dustless floor brush for sale by Wm. C. Leavitt.

Rain or shine coats. They are the most useful over garments today. New line to select from at F. H. Noyes Co.'s, 59 to 615.

A full line Spaulding base ball goods in stock at Stone's. Special rates to clubs in quantity.

Ground oyster shells sold by Wm. C. Leavitt.

Order a Dory Launch. They are good looking, safe and fast. W. E. Tarr.

Ready mixed paints, oils and pure white lead at the lowest prices at Stone's.

No dust, clean floors, use the dustless floor brush, sold by Wm. C. Leavitt.

The Norway Savings Bank offer for sale the homestead of the late John L. Heme. See ad. in another column.

Special sale of wash, 19 cts. a yard, at Thomas Smiley's.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Horace A. Burnham, who was buried at Westerville, Neb., March 9, 1933, used to live in Norway, marrying Lizzie Frost, daughter of Samuel Frost, who died fourteen years ago leaving five sons, and there are a son and two daughters by a second marriage. The four eldest sons are engaged in business in the west.

He was a brother of Mrs. H. Burnham, the prominent banker of Lincoln, Neb., and left here many years ago.

He had a sickness of the grip and pneumonia, which could not be checked and death came after about ten days. His age was fifty.

Way Down South.

The Briggs and Mills Way Down South company on their appearance at the Opera House, Monday evening called out a good attendance, the gallery being filled and a fair number in the floor seats.

The show began promptly on time which was an immediate promise of a good entertainment and there were no long waits or dragging places in the program.

The entertainment was one of the best of its kind seen here for a long time each actor being worthy of at least some praise, while there were features that were excellent. There was nothing to which objection could be raised in any way, and the audience showed appreciation by hearty applause.

The opening part represented the darkest on the plantation and consisted of a number of specialties, in singing and dancing, with choruses.

On the olio, other specialties were shown including dances, songs, and humorous acts, which were appreciated heartily by the audience.

The olio walk was participated in by five couples and was fully up to others that have been presented here.

The performance Tuesday evening was along the same lines with a considerable change of specialties. There was a good attendance. The company went to Groveton, N. H., Wednesday.

Webster C. Goodwin, generally known as "Cleve" went to the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, Saturday for surgical treatment.

Nellie Andrews, one of Norway's artists, is painting some very pretty shirt waist sets that are much admired.

Bessie chine painting. Miss Andrews has many oil paintings. She does this work because she enjoys it, and the patiently worked out details show it. She has the happy faculty of easily bringing out what she wishes to express. The figures and the costumes of the figures that she produces in her landscape paintings are even better than the nicely balanced lights and shades of the picture.

C. B. Bailey of Lewiston has secured nearly enough names from among our business and professional men to assure the establishment in Norway of a Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, an order historically founded upon the Crusaders, having ritualistic work of highest merit and interest. When the requisite number of names are pledged the work of the order will be gratefully exemplified before the new Castle by a strong degree team of twenty-four men from the Conway Castle, of Auburn, the Grand Castle of Maine. Mr. Bailey states that in a few days he hopes to complete for Norway, one of, if not the finest Castle in the State.

Subscription Rates.

2 months, 25 cents.
3 months, 35 cents.
4 months, 50 cents.
6 months, 75 cents.

NUMBER 12.

Fed Two Hundred and Fifty.

The Congregational circle Wednesday, entertained by the men, called out one of the largest gatherings that any of the circles have seen. Tables were set for about a hundred and fifty each place being taken, and at the second table about fifty sat down, which with the men who arranged the supper and served, made a number of two hundred and fifty. The supper was baked beans and salads with pies and cakes and was up to the standard set in past years.

Both Miss Kerwin and Miss Stevens pleased the audience greatly with their readings, the former appearing three times, the latter four, and together presented a comedy representing a teacher and pupil. This latter called for much versatility in the reading and the situations were well rendered. Each number was heartily enjoyed.

The selections on the phonograph were excellent. There was entire absence of any jar or rough sound and the character of the records was high.

Uncle Tassus (Day). Miss Stevens
Redemption of Jean Valjean (Rago). Miss Kerwin
The Boy and the Bank. Miss Stevens
Serenade. Miss Stevens
Where Ignorance is Bliss. Miss Kerwin
(a) An Old Man's Dream, (b) Aunt Tabitha. Miss Stevens
The Bear Story. Miss Kerwin
Conquer a Narrow Escape. Miss Kerwin
Pupil. Miss Stevens
This Little Pig Went to Market. Miss Stevens

With The Whist Clubs.

The Quiet club was entertained Tuesday evening by Mrs. W. A. Bicknell and Mrs. S. Norman Buck at the home of the late Tuesday evening.

The Roundabout club met with Mrs. George A. Cole, Wednesday evening.

The Hoodoo club will be entertained by Mrs. Edwin S. Cummings, this Thursday evening.

The Professional club was entertained Wednesday evening by M. L. Kimball and wife.

The O. K. Club will be entertained by Miss E. J. Smith at her home, Friday evening this week.

New maple syrup is now served.

Myrt French spent Saturday in Portland.

Several in Norway were the green, Tuesday—St. Patrick's Day.

Have you fancy hens' eggs for sale? If so, you should tell our readers about them.

Maurice L. Russell of Malden, Mass., visited his sister, Mrs. George H. Bennett over Sunday.

George H. Bennett who has been suffering an attack of grip is now having trouble with his eyes.

E. W. Dutton has an auction on the 28th and will rent his house on the corner of Fern and Pine streets.

The ladies' circle of the M. E. church will have a baked bean supper at G. A. R. hall, Thursday evening, March 23.

Company D. will be inspected Friday evening, March 27, at the armory by Brig. Gen. Frank L. Hoyt of Lewiston.

Mrs. E. F. Smith went Monday to Richmond for a visit of a week or so. Col. Smith will go down the last of the week.

The Ladies' Circle at the Center will be entertained at the chapel by Mrs. H. P. Brown and Mrs. Elmer Dugn, March 25, dinner as usual.

Annual meeting of the Norway Village Corporation, Monday evening, April 13th at Norway Hall. See to it that all claims are presented to the assessors of the corporation before Wednesday, April first.

HAVE YOU WANTS

If so and no doubt it is so, then let them be known to our readers, who can supply most any reasonable want.

Farm for sale.

Oxen or steers to exchange.

A cow or horse to buy.

Lost, found or stolen anything.

A man to work, or wood to saw.

Let your wants be known to our readers. 25 words or less, cost 25 cents one week, 40 cents two weeks, and 50 cents for three weeks.

Horace Pike has moved into the next house on Paris street to the one in which he has lived many years. Charles Child, who has been living in a portion of the former house has moved into the one vacated by Mr. Pike.

W. A. Bicknell is going to sell his most and provision business. He has occupied the Corner Meat Market for eight years and done a successful business but the rheumatism has caught him and he says he is to sell out—as per ad in another column.

Joseph B. Kavanaugh of the Jamaica Plain Printing Co. made us a call, Wednesday. He and his wife have been visiting his parents at Lewiston. They returned to Boston, Thursday. Joe when a boy worked in the ADVERTISER office a couple years or so and made many friends in this vicinity, who are always glad to see him and to learn that he is prospering far beyond his expectations.

Albion J. Buck died at Idaho Falls, Idaho, at the home of a nephew, March 11. The cause of death was pneumonia. His age was 67 years. He was a native of Buckfield, and lived in that town until coming here in 1879. He lived here until about six years ago when he went to Kansas and about six years there until within a few years. He then spent about five years in this vicinity returning to Idaho a little over a year ago. He leaves only a son, S. Norman Buck of this town, a daughter, Mrs. H. A. Gashum, and a son, S. Norman Buck, a prominent citizen late Captain Norton, and a son, S. Norman Buck, who died at the age of 22. The body was taken to Buckfield this week for burial.

A very helpful and practical address was given, last Sunday evening by Rev. E. S. Rideout at the Congregational church on the text "And Gashum said to his wife, 'I am a man of many names.'"

Also reports to Sanballat causing him to seek to obstruct the rebuilding of Jerusalem by Nehemiah. There are many Gashums. The speaker paid particular attention to common gossip. Who says "I" attacks upon the church and all good "I's" attacks upon the question of honesty in the community, the question of honesty of motive and purity of life of men—whence come they? Gashum was an enemy of God, and of His people. Each word of repeating what we hear said should pass through three golden gates: "Is it true," "Is it needed," "Is it kind."

THE NORWAY ADVERTISER
(OXFORD COUNTY, ME.)

MARCH 20, 1933, NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

Annual Savings Bank Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Norway Savings Bank last Monday evening, the following trustees were chosen: F. H. Noyes, C. L. Hathaway, C. F. Ridlon, A. S. Kimball, Geo. E. Tubbs, F. W. Sanborn and H. F. Andrews.

F. A. S. Kimball was chosen president; F. W. Sanborn, vice president; Geo. E. Tubbs, treasurer.

The following figures make a good showing for the bank the past year:

Amount deposited for the year.....\$ 22,042 45
Withdrawn for the year.....\$ 12,172 28
Increase in deposits.....\$ 10,870 17
Total dividends paid depositors for the year.....\$ 9,110 08
Total amount of deposits.....\$ 357,102 62
New accounts opened.....233
Accounts closed.....133

Increase in deposits.....139
Average sum each depositor has in the bank.....\$164 60

Mystic Shrine Candidates.

Geo. A. Cole, H. B. Foster, Dr. F. E. Drake and Lewis I. Gilbert are booked to cross the "Hot Sands of the Desert," tonight.

They will be accompanied by a delegation of Select Nobles from this vicinity who will endeavor to see that no serious harm befall them and that they hold fast to the back of the infuriated camel.

On page 2, is an article on advertising from the standpoint of an advertiser. It came to us unsolicited and is an honest expression of a successful local patron of this paper, who is too modest to allow us to use his name.

We agree with the writer that better results come from advertising in local papers than from any other source in comparison with the cost.

This week 2780 papers is the edition. It is fair to presume five people read each paper, and 13,900 people may read your ad if you have it attractive and say something worth reading.

The business men in this vicinity would not continue year after year to pay good money in this or any other paper unless they were satisfied they got a return for their money.

Look at the files of the ADVERTISER for the past ten years and you will see that the successful merchants of the two villages have and are now users of space.

They wouldn't do this unless it paid them. They are not too foolish.

Advertising space in this paper pays if it is properly handled and most of our advertisers look after this part of their business carefully and intelligently. For proof of this, come in and examine the files of our paper for years past.

The successful business man or woman is intelligent in the use of advertising space. This is the rule today the world over and especially so in this vicinity.

Mary M. Bickford has returned to Farmington normal school.

Allice M. Howe of the Ripley neighborhood, Paris, is visiting here.

Frank Lovejoy is moving into A. C. McCrellin's old home.

We can send you a dozen Holmes notes for ten cents. Address this office.

Miss Wadsworth of Cornish is the guest of Mrs. George Brooks, this week.

Charles L. Brown has been laid up this week with a cold. He is getting better.

Selectman William H. Foster of Bridgton was in town, Monday, on business of his town.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Dr. Annette Bennett, Wednesday evening, March 25th.

Sunday, George Sanborn found a blossomed mayflower, undoubtedly the first of the season.

Wilfred Parker and wife of Boston are spending a few days here this week, visiting relatives and friends.

Timothy L. Heath is to move into Josiah Dutton's house corner of Pine and Fern streets about April 1st.

The teachers of Norway will read the teacher's examination advertisement on page 6th for time and place of examination.

Rev. A. H. Ericsson will preach Sunday afternoon on the subject—The Bible, its Teachings in relation to men, at G. A. R. hall at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Seymour will visit Christ Episcopal church on Wednesday.

He is the missionary in charge of the missions in Maine west of the Kennebec.

Musician Harry Robinson and private George Riker, Lester Clement, Seth Miller and William Blagden of Company C were up from Auburn, Friday night, to the drill and ball of Company D.

At the meeting of the selectmen, Saturday afternoon, Ira Wood was appointed a surveyor of lumber and measurer of wood and bark. A license was granted the Veranda Club to keep an employment agency.

Stella Osgood of Lewiston began work Monday, as an operator in the New England Telephone exchange. She was employed in the same company's office in Lewiston before the combination with the New England.

Arthur E. Morrison, wife and son, Fredland came Monday on a visit to Fredland Howe's. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison have returned to Rumford Falls. Fredland will spend the vacation here and it is expected that Robley will come this week.

The stated meeting of Oxford Lodge, F. & A. M., will be held Friday evening, March 24th, at 7 o'clock.

There were a number of out of town Masons present including a large delegation from West Paris. An official visit for inspection was made by District Deputy Gates of Dixfield. Degrees were worked and refreshments served.

Mrs. Alma Bailey will leave next week for an extended visit to her uncle, Robert H. Greenleaf in Albuquerque, New Mexico. She accompanies Mrs. G. A. Greenleaf of Auburn, who goes to New Mexico because of rheumatism, and they will leave Auburn, Wednesday. Mrs. Bailey expects to visit California before returning home and will make a trip of from four to six months.

You can get pure blooded White Wyandotte eggs for hatching of Mrs. A. T. Hobbs at Maplecroft Farm, Norway. See ad. Call on them and see the birds. They are good ones. Or write them. Eggs sent by express.

SOUTH PARIS.

Austin-Pulister.

On Thursday afternoon, March 12, at the home of Mrs. Carrie M. Austin, her daughter Rose C. was united in marriage with Charles L. Pulister of Poland. Rev. W. E. Brooks officiated and the ring service was used. The beautiful impression ceremony was witnessed by members of the two immediate families and a few other relatives. The bride wore a handsome tailor-made suit of blue.

Mr. Pulister is a young man of excellent character and is highly esteemed by his fellow citizens. He is a graduate of Ekelon Academy and has served his native town four years as superintendent of schools.

Mrs. Pulister has been teaching very successfully in the schools of Poland during the past two years and has many warm friends both there and in our village who wish her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pulister left on the afternoon train for Poland where they will make their home for the present.

Olive M. Stuart is in Boston this week after spring millinery.

Ansel Swift is about to go to Minneapolis to visit his son.

Mrs. Fred Scott was here from Freeport several days last week.

Mrs. N. D. Bolster and son Morton are visiting in Winchester, Mass.

S. O. Dow, wife and son of Mexico are spending a few days with relatives.

Mrs. S. C. Heald of East Sumner visited her sister, Mrs. A. D. Park, last week.

Mrs. W. B. Gilbert of Canton visited her brother, N. D. Bolster, a few days last week.

Mrs. Bacon of Bryant's Pond visited her brother, Oscar F. Bowker, a few days last week.

A. E. Morse reads Friday evening at a reception given Governor Bacheelder at Bethlehem, N. H.

Nathan Chase has been awarded the valedictory in the graduating class of 1933, University of Maine.

Don Briggs and Ralph Penfold have been in Bridgton spending part of their vacation with Fred Briggs.

Mrs. E. C. Park and daughter Muriel of Bethel visited relatives here last week while Mr. Park was attending court.

J. F. Plummer was called to Sweden Friday by the illness of his father, Samuel Plummer. He returned Sunday.

The physics class of the high school have secured about \$42 by means of a subscription paper to buy apparatus.

George Cook has returned from Southern Pines, N. C., where he has returned for three weeks. Mrs. Cook returned with him and Mrs. Smiley will remain longer.

An account was kept of last Sunday's attendance at our churches and the whole number for morning and afternoon services was 613. The Sunday schools held 339 pupils.

John S. Blair, who has been employed at the Paris Manufacturing Co., has gone to Harrison to work in the C. S. Whitney chair factory. He will move his family to Harrison.

The Mason Manufacturing Company, which began work recently, are now employing eight or ten men and women. The work is now the making of dolls' furniture and wood novelties.

A supper was served Wednesday evening by the social circle at the Baptist church. The Methodist ladies serve on this Thursday evening at their vestry. This Thursday evening also the Congregational ladies give a supper and entertainment, and plan to give an excellent and original one, saying that they will make the recent gentlemen's entertainment look like a plugged silver dime.

Francis A. Pratt died at his home, Friday morning, as a result of a shock sustained Wednesday. He was a native of Paris, the son of Solyman and Margaret (Allen) Pratt and was fifty-four years of age. Funeral services were Sunday afternoon and conducted by Rev. A. W. Pottle. Burial at Riverside. Mr. Pratt was a miller by trade and worked a number of years for F. C. Merrill in the plywood foundry. He had also worked considerably for the Paris Manufacturing Company, and for about a year had done but little because of ill health.

The first flock of wild geese flew over Friday morning.

Wilbur L. Farrar is building a good sized refrigerator at his store.

Eli Swan was in town Sunday.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. George Hazen, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Frank E. Barker, H. P.; Geo. E. Tubbs, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark. Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. V. W. Hills, Ven. M.; Merton L. Kimball, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Edwin H. Allen, N. G.; C. G. Mason, Sec'y.

WILDEY ESCAPEMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. George W. Richardson, N. G.; C. G. Mason, Sec'y.

MR. HOPKINS LODGE, No. 38, I. O. O. F., meets in Old Yellow's Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Edna E. Akers, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

FRANKS LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. Wm. Ag. Lewis, C. C.; M. Kimball, K. of K. & S.

LAKE ASSEMBLY, No. 33, P. S., meets in Pythian Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Dean Walker, C. C.; Emma Abbott, K. of R. & S.

NORWAY COMMANDERY, No. 24, U. O. G. C., meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. H. L. Boston, K. of R. & S.

LAKE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. O. P., meets G. A. R. hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Nabel P. Warren, Warden; Ada A. Libby, Secretary.

ELM TREE LODGE, No. 199, U. O. P. E., meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, at G. A. R. Hall. G. A. Morse, G. O. W. Locke, Secretary.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets at G. A. R. hall, the first Tuesday evening of each month. S. H. Lebow, commander; Frelan Young, adjutant; S. A. Bennett, Q. M.

NORWAY SAVINGS BANK, MAIN STREET, NORWAY, ME. Money loaned on good security, at reasonable rates.

A. S. KIMBALL, Pres., GEORGE E. TUBBS, Treas.

HOLT & BARNES, Counsellors at Law, Hathaway Block, Norway, Me.

A. S. KIMBALL, N. L. KIMBALL, KIMBALL & SON, Attorneys at Law, Grange Block, Norway, Me.

WILLIAM F. JONES, Attorney at Law, Grange Block, Norway, Me.

A. J. STEARNS, Attorney at Law, Office Over Frelan Howe's Insurance Office, NORWAY, MAINE.

Drs. Drake & Hayden, DENTISTS, Over Stone's Drug Store, NORWAY, ME. Office Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

EDWARD E. HASTINGS, Counselor and Attorney at Law, Fryeburg, Oxford County, Maine.

CHARLES C. WARREN, Attorney at Law, Fryeburg, Me.

At Uberty House, E. Brownfield, every Thursday

DR. H. P. JONES, DENTIST, Beal Block, 5th NORWAY, ME.

SAMUEL RICHARDS, EXPERT OPTICIAN, SOUTH PARIS, - MAINE. Eyes examined free when glasses are ordered.

LLEWELLYN H. CUSHMAN, (Successor to George W. Winslow) NORWAY, ME., Freight Handling, General Job Teaming. Will deliver your freight promptly and at reasonable price, and any other teaming that you may want. Speak to me or address postal card to me at box 225. 137

J. WALDO NASH, LICENSED TAXIDERMIST, Masonic Block, - - Cottage St. Telephone, 122-11

L. M. LONCLEY Plumbing, Steam and Hot Water Heating, General Water Piping, Hair, Felt, and Asbestos paper furnished for Steam Pipes.

Shop on Cottage Street, NORWAY, ME. TELEPHONE 136-3

C. E. TOLMAN'S Insurance Agency, Fire, Life and Accident, 26A Market Square, South Paris.

Carriages & Harnesses of all Kinds, double and single. No. 1 Pressed Hay cheap. Call and see me.

W. H. KILCORE, NORTH WATERFORD, MAINE.

A. W. GROVER, Undertaker, Embalmer, Funeral Director. Caskets of all styles and sizes constantly on hand at reasonable prices. Convenient rooms for holding bodies when received or to be transported by rail. Home service promptly attended to. Office, 28 Main Street, (Opposite Odd Fellows' Block, Residence, Chapman Street, next Odd Fellows' Block). BETHEL, ME.

A. W. GROVER Pension Attorney, 28 Main St., Opp. Odd Fellows Bldg., Bethel, - Maine.

BENJAMIN B. ODELL,

FATHER OF THE GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK STATE, A POWER IN POLITICS.

The Hon. Benjamin B. Odell of Newburgh, N. Y., father of an illustrious family of sons, writes the following letter, which he hopes will be read by every man and woman in America:

"Some years ago my life was fairly made miserable by the pain and distress I suffered from ACUTE INDIGESTION. I was also constipated and run down. This condition continued for about three years. A friend of mine who had suffered in a similar manner, and been much benefited by using DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, urged me to try it. I finally did, and IT HELPED ME FROM THE FIRST DOSE, AND I CONTINUED ITS USE AND WAS CURED."

"I have recommended it to numbers of people, and in every single instance they have received the greatest amount of benefit from its use."

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the most prompt and efficient medicine known for Kidney, Liver, Bladder and Blood Diseases, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and Constipation.

Druggists sell it in New 50 Cent Size and the regular \$1.00 size bottles.

Sample bottle—enough for trial, free by mail. Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y.

Dr. David Kennedy's Salt Rheum Cream cures Old Sores, Skin and Scrofulous Diseases. 50c.

Written for the Advertiser.

The Solitary Rose.

Through the months of March and April While the cold north winds did blow, The tiny rose was sheltered.

"Nestle the coverlet of snow. Then it bled forth in glory Underneath a cloak of white; But of the buds so happy All but one was doomed to die.

Yet that single rose opened, And a rose pink and fair, And for us it made a halo While it perfumed all the air.

Then it faded, petals wilted, And a cooling evening breeze Carried the gentle dying blossom— Yes, perhaps across the seas. ANON.

Written for the Advertiser.

Hush!

He's dead, the sin stained wretch is gone, The atmosphere he breathed Is unpolished now. Alone He lies unwept, unwept; And his repulsive cold dead face Is eloquent of foul disgrace.

The thing he was you might have been, O, instantly, unshining sin, Compelled to go his part.

Thou blameless one! pray who art thou? How came you up so far? Ask thy faithful father, who Have placed you where you are.

Turn back the pages of the years And count thy mother's prayers and tears Thy father's ringing voice of praise— These placed thee where thou art.

Had that foul thing the chances you Have wasted, unwept, unwept, He might have reached a higher plane Than you are now today.

Here have been those content To rest apinely indolent. So save your righteous breath. Defendless now he hangs in air, His lips are silent cold and numb, He now belongs to Death.

COLEMAN W. GREENE, LEAF.

Timely Advice.

When people begin to find themselves on the down grade of life, hastened by the various ills incidental to age, they should by no means give up and say I have done my labor, am good for nothing now and my friends or the town must care for me. No, indeed! Keep your heart young at least, and though your rheumatic joints may cause hard starting in the morning, it soon wears off, and how much happier one feels while both hands and mind are busy about some useful employment, though not laborious, may still be of great use about the premises. No, my dear old friend, when you give up and sit down in the morning, saying that your days are about numbered. A life of activity is the surest road to happiness and longevity.

We once knew an old gentleman in one of our neighboring towns a small but independent farmer, who, like the good old person in Goldsmith's beautiful song:

"Remote from towns he ran his Godly race, And neither changed nor wished to change his place."

But old age crept on, his companion was taken from him, leaving him lonely indeed, the building he lived in was hardly comfortable, still he plodded on as best he could. One a well-to-do nephew living in one of the lower towns persuaded him to forsake his home and live with him as he had an abundance and to spare.

Occasionally while passing that way we called on this dear old man, who, like most aged and intelligent people, was a most delightful companion. On our first visit we inquired how he liked his new home. "Don't like it," he replied with an ominous shake of the head.

"Why, what is the reason," we asked, "anything amiss?"

"Nothing of the kind," he replied, "but when I lived on the old farm, I had my horse, cow, pig and hens to care for; my wood to haul, cut and carry in, and my corn, potatoes and garden patch to hoe and keep clean. This served to occupy my mind, keeping me comparatively happy. But how is it here? I have one of the most pleasant rooms in the house, furnished in elegant style with a bright new carpet and open fire; a lad to build and tend my fire and wait on me by inches. If I attempt to assist about the chores, garden or farm, I am sure to hear 'Now uncle William, we don't want you to work, you have done enough in your day, and we have sufficient help to do all our work.' Now this manner of living I am entirely unused to and it is productive of indigestion and various attendant ills which must soon end my days."

And true to his prediction, less than two years closed the scene. MARK TAPLEY.

Catarrah.

Called an American disease, is cured by an American medicine, originated and prepared in the medicinal catarrh of American origin. That medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures radically and permanently, in that it removes the cause, cleansing the blood of scrofulous, and all other impurities. It overcomes all the effects of catarrh, too, and builds up the weak system.

NORTH PARIS.

F. E. GOWELL has purchased a new 220 egg incubator.

Mrs. Sarah Starbird has been 'quite sick but is now better.

Ernest Jackson and Rotta Berry visited at W. E. Curtis' recently.

Mrs. Lovejoy has returned to her daughter's, Mrs. Churchill's.

Mrs. Andrews of South Paris, has visited at Sam'l Keene's and F. Kimball's a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. America Andrews and grandson Alfred have been visiting in Portland.

Cyrus Thurlow and wife have gone to South Portland to take charge of a farm for one year.

Mrs. Sadie Silver and little girl have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childs.

431 pieces of mail were distributed on this route in January, and 2,993 on the Greenwood route.

Gilbert Abbott and wife came to W. E. Curtis', March 4, but were called away by the dangerous illness of Mrs. A.'s mother, Mrs. Ordway Bowker.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory money refunded.

FRANK KIMBALL, Norway.

ERNEST P. PARKIN, So. Paris, 45-13

Among the twelve seniors chosen for the senior exhibition at Bates are: Hazel Donham; Hebron; Harry M. Towle; East Parsonsfield; George E. Ramsdell; East Hebron.

Admission Free.

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Advertising from an Advertiser's Standpoint.

The one great reason why the average business man looks upon advertising as an expense instead of, as he should, an investment, is because most of the talk and inducements offered him come from those who have it to sell, and it is human nature to believe all vendors of merchandise from pins to advertising space talk it for all it is worth. Now this is a mistake.

In a business life of over thirty years I have come to the conclusion that there is no class of dealers who come so far from showing the full value of the wares they have to dispose of, as the managers of the average newspaper.

Now this may appear to be giving aid and comfort to the enemy coming from one who has to buy space regularly and desires to buy as low as possible, but simple justice prompted the writer to give a little testimony from the buying side.

However, one can waste as much money as he chooses in this way. While all advertising space is valuable it is not equally so to all people and the buyer must have judgment to choose rightly.

A subscriber has no use for a Sunday paper, or a country trader for a city daily. Concert programmes, school papers, Grange and society publications are not worth the paper wasted, from a business standpoint. If the trade of the school, society or solicitor for the same are worth the expense, one might as well advertise in the newspapers and otherwise it is wasted. The only paying, legitimate, valuable advertising space in the world is in the columns of your local newspaper and if our kind hearted editors were to double their rates we would all use them just the same.

If I have anything to sell, say so in as few words as possible and tell the exact truth, and everlastingly put it. Change your ads, as often as the editor will allow, make them so your prospective customers will look for your space every week, whether they are in the market or not.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering the system in any form. Such articles should never be used except on the most desperate cases, and as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them, Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, U. S. A. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

To Prevent Small Pox Scars.

It is a good thing to know now small pox is so much more common than formerly that one of the dread features of the disease may be overcome with a little care. The disfiguring scars left on the face may be prevented by keeping the patient in the dark or in a red light.

But he must be kept in a red light all the time during the period of suppuration, for the action of blue lights on the sensitive, irritated skin as the same light on a dry plate for photography.

The disease is also said to be much less severe for it does away with much of the irritation of the skin. It is well known that light is made up of the prismatic colors and the simple prismatic colors into what may be termed the red lights and the blue lights. It would be a good plan to put red glass in the windows of a pest house and light the rooms with red electric lights.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY 50c

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. F. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 50c.

BOOMED BY WOMEN.

Fair Sex Beautifying and Building Up an Illinois Town.

An Illinois town is rapidly being built up and pushed to the front by an organization composed of women. The society is called the Woman's Improvement club, and it has accomplished wonders in improving and beautifying the town. The club has several committees, but the most important one is the municipal committee, and this committee is busily employed in making the town a more desirable place of residence than it is.

It is a sort of vigilance committee to observe the breakers of town laws. Its members can cause the arrest of persons violating street ordinances. The small boy who throws banana skins recklessly about the gutter, the woman who dines parcel wrappings recklessly about—all have the keen-eyed and stern minded committee to reckon with.

Street wastebaskets have been purchased for the town by the committee. It has informed itself concerning the possibilities of levying taxes for street sprinkling purposes. It concerns itself with keeping signboards in condition and discusses the perishable nature of wooden signboards and the expense of iron ones with a view to reaching some conclusion which will not leave the wayfarer without guideposts. It studies the park system and delves into botanical in order to be able to suggest suitable trees for the town parks. Altogether it is a valuable society.

Town Improvement Hints.

Every unoccupied square in the business district should be neatly fenced in and kept free from tin cans and refuse. Real estate owners could bear this slight burden.

When home talent stands ready to establish an enterprise that will build up the town, always encourage it.

In building up a town there is no pull like a long pull, a strong pull and a pull altogether.

The merchant who is the most liberal in his efforts to assist in building up the community is the one you should patronize.

A dollar spent at home will return to you before many days, but if you spend it abroad it is forever lost, both to you and your community.

Retards the Town's Growth.

One of the greatest drawbacks to the growth of a town is the vacant property held for a price. A western state proposes a law under which such property shall be valued by a commission, and if being held by a greedy speculator it is to be taxed the same as improved property.

Six Weeks Sledding in March.

Perhaps it is due to the unusual depth of the snow in northern New England that the heading of this paragraph has been heard in speech and read in print more frequently than in previous years.

From inquiries made with a view to ascertain the origin of the quotation it appears that all who use it are not familiar with the facts in the case and lose all the "cute" play upon words that the phrase contains.

Many years ago, before the incorporation of the County of Oxford, in 1809, Parsonsfield in the neighboring county of York was already settled and incorporated a town.

Among the early settlers were several bearing the name of Weeks and a little later giving to a village of the town the name "Weeks' Corner" which it still retains. Here, on the last day of March far away and behind the twentieth century, were observed six of these Weeks men hurrying their oxen and sleds to make the most of the departing opportunity for this mode of conveyance.

So once upon a time, it is a fact, "there were (was?) six Weeks sledding in March."

Numerous descendants of the Parsonsfield families of Weeks' are to be found in Portland, Fryeburg and other towns of Maine and in the town of Chatham and elsewhere in New Hampshire. One has a seat in the present legislature of New Hampshire where his grandfather of the same name served as a representative from the same town of Chatham, West Fryeburg, Maine.

BETHEL.

Middle Interval.

Mr. Brooks has finished logging in Grafton.

Ernest Brooks was quite badly injured and has not yet fully recovered.

The little girl living with Mrs. Charles Eames has had the whooping cough.

Marie Valentine, who has been sick for some time, has nearly recovered.

Mrs. R. Carter has not recovered from an injury received by falling, some time ago.

Elmer Elliot walked from Holt Hill to Bethel Hill to church a distance of about 12 miles both ways.

J. T. Kimball our most aged and respected neighbor has been sick and under the doctor's treatment.

A Little Girl's Prayer.

Here is a prayer written by little Florence Kimball when she first began to write, it has been kept safely among our packed away papers:—"O Lord help me to be a good girl and mind mamma and take her head ache away, bless the sad and suffering and dying and help me always to mind mamma, and this I ask for Jesus' sake, amen."

How Are Your Nerves?

Dr. Hobbs' Spargus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Kennedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Annual Town Reports.

BETHEL.—Valuation, real estate, \$346,845; personal estate \$169,930; total \$516,775; 1929; tax rate .018. 542 polls taxed at \$2; 96 polls not taxed; assessment \$15,515.88. Town farm receipts \$3,515.59; expenditures \$4,065.19; total expense of poor \$994.44; sewer \$601.26; highways \$3,896.92; miscellaneous \$340.68; common schools \$3,845.49; town officers' bills \$890.80; small pox bills \$400.36; Resources \$18,850.55; liabilities \$30,441.28; cash on hand \$1,926.42.

BRIDGTON.—Valuation \$1,288,746; commitment \$20,545.83; rate .014; \$44 polls at \$3 each. Common schools \$6,307.60; high school \$1,843.81; text books \$537.56; repairs \$875.84; highways and bridges \$4,780.02; town officers' bills \$1,570.08; insane \$192.22; poor \$498.55; cash in treasury \$519.05.

MILTON PLANTATION.—Valuation \$51,580; assessment \$1,719.10; rate .02; 59 polls at \$2.50 each. Common schools \$372.75; roads and bridges \$529.64. Miscellaneous \$608.65; officers bills \$66.32. Resources \$1,518.86; liabilities \$2,641.08; cash on hand \$224.03.

RUTS

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are: Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be taken as long as sickness lasts and do good all the time.

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.

We will be glad to send you a few doses free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1. all druggists.



BAD BACKS

A painful back. A lame, weak, an aching back. Tells of your kidney ills. Backache is the kidneys' warning.

Doan's Kidney Pills

Cure every kidney ill from Common backache to diabetes.

Mr. Joseph Clewley, of 47 Church street, bookkeeper for J. E. Knox & Co., 170 Mass., manufacturers of dyes and cutting tools, says: "I used several prescriptions from physicians, trying to get relief from attacks of backache. The pain was in the region of the kidneys, and the medicine seemed to relieve me for the time being but it always returned. If I took cold it was always worse, and at such times I was down right sick. I had a severe attack and used Doan's Kidney Pills. The first box relieved me a great deal. Continuing the treatment a short time longer I was entirely cured, and I have had no return of the complaint."

For sale by all druggists; 50 cents per box. Foster-McBirn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

A VERY Valuable Remedy

S. W. MATHEWS "Com. of Labor for Me"

YOUR MONEY REFUNDED, if it fails to benefit you when used strictly as directed in the inside wrapper. Try a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

WOOD ASHES FOR SALE

In any quantity desired. Car load lots a specialty. For prices and particulars address

SIMON STAHL, BERLIN, N. H.

Also Dealer in Coal and Wood.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

Each word more than 25: One week, 1 cent, and each additional week, 1 cent.

This price for cash in advance. One and two-cent postage stamps taken.

COPY PRESS WANTED



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WANTED A second-
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ANNOUNCEMENT cars or
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retired styles at reasonable
prices. Call and examine.

from house with bathroom,
on street. Norway. Rent
to Merritt Welch, Sanford.

rent in happy house on
Norway Village, 6 rooms and
bath.

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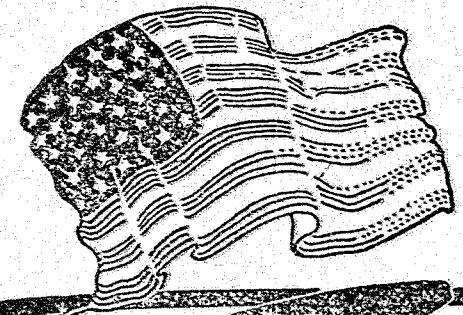
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THE
NATIONAL SMOKE.

If we were not giving the value
we claim in the

MARKSMAN

5 Cent Cigar

it would not be as universally
smoked in the places where it
is known as it now is. The won-
derful increase in its sales must
mean something to you. Try
one. Union Made. Sold
everywhere.

JOS. F. MCGREENERY, Maker,
BOSTON.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

THROUGH RATES to the WEST

One Way.

Colonist Fares :

In Effect from Feb. 15 to April 30, 1903.

The rate is from Boston via Chicago:

Albuquerque, N. M. \$50.00

Baker City, Ore. 47.50

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Glenwood Springs, Col. 47.00

Helena, Mont. 47.00

Leadville, Col. 47.00

Lewiston, Idaho. 47.50

Los Angeles, Cal. 50.00

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For tickets and full particulars apply to
M. W. CHANDLER, Agent G. T. Ry., Norway.

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Fare only \$1.00

To Seacoast and Interior Resorts of
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Steamers leave Franklin Wharf, Portland,
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Through tickets issued and baggage checked
for New York, Philadelphia and Washington
via all rail and Sound lines. Freight rates al-
ways as low as other lines. All freight via
this line insured against fire and marine risk.

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A. E. HANCOCK, G. P. & T. A.
CALVIN AUSTIN, Vice Pres't and Gen'l Man-
ager, Gen'l Offices, Foster's Wharf, Boston,
Mass.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED

A Man and Wife to take charge of Waterford
Town Farm for one year, beginning April 1,
1903. All bids must be in on or before March
21, and applicants are requested to furnish re-
ferences. The right to reject any bids will be
reserved. But three persons now on the farm.
The Board will be in session Saturday, March
21, to decide upon all applications.

W. K. HAYLIN, Selectmen
F. A. NICHOLS, } Waterford.
G. E. KEENE, }

NOTICE

We, the undersigned, Carpenters of Norway
and South Paris, do hereby give public notice
that on and after April 1, 1903, nine hours shall
constitute a day's work for ourselves and our
employees, and that the rate to be charged for
a day's work shall remain as at the present ten-
hour day.

W. R. Kimball, W. S. Sloan,
C. W. Evans, C. H. Adams,
Horace Pike, Charles Walker,
H. E. Mixer, M. M. Fuller,
Mark Pike, G. D. Swift,
J. B. Hazen, Samson Scribner,
George Locke, J. Q. Pratt,
E. W. Dunaway, Wm. C. Cole,
Cyrus Woodsum, G. M. Giles,
J. E. March, C. P. Berry,
Geo. D. Robertson, J. B. Field,
G. W. Berry, G. F. Farnum,
Horace L. Swan, G. M. Cutting,
W. L. Blood, P. S. Mason,
G. E. Shaw, A. P. Abbott,

E. W. Mason. 11*

CANNED GOODS

I have a full line of CANNED GOODS which will be
sold at reasonable prices such as Tomatoes, Corn, Peas,
Beans, Succotash, Raspberries, Strawberries, Peaches,
Pears, Apricots, Plums, Pumpkin, Squash, Dandelion
Greens, and a number of others not mentioned here.
Also a line of Cereals which are good healthy eating at
this season of the year. Call and Get Prices.

E. C. WINSLOW,

Cor. Main and Lynn Sts. Telephone Connection. NORWAY, ME.

ORANGES

Florida, Jamaica, California Navels, Florida
Tangerines, and Grape Fruit, Ripe Bananas,
Crisp Malaga Grapes, New Figs and Dates.

For Nuts we have Soft Shelled, California
Walnuts, Filberts, Peacans and Castavas,
Also largest assortment of all kinds Candies
we have had.

CIGARS and TOBACCO.

Call in and see us when doing your Christmas trading.

LEVERONI & CO.

Opera House Block, NORWAY, MAINE.

Rambles.

Early March.
Now we hear the bluebird's warble
As the sunbeams warmer glow,
Singing of the spring days coming
Tho' the cold winds still may blow.

One bright morning, when the clear,
crisp air yet breathed of winter, I sought
the snow-custed fields and the wood-
land's edge at the foot of Pike's hill.

Here Winter and Spring met face to
face in silent combat, vying for the
master-rule of the season.

The old wood road is abandoned, and
where, one week ago,

The ringing axe resounded
Thro' the stillness of the wood,

now are heard only the voices of nature.

Bridged here and there with arches of
diamonded snow, the little brook, break-
ing its crystal fetters, rushed down the
steep way singing of freedom and of
spring.

On its banks the silvery catkins, hear-
ing the glad music, lifted their tiny
brown bonnets and peeped forth to learn
it the brooklet told them truly.

"Spring! Spring!" cawed the crow,
flying slowly overhead.

"Spring! Spring!" chirped the brave
little winter sparrows, flitting gaily from
branch to branch in the budding trees.

"Spring! Spring!" sang my heart in
response.

Leaning against a moss-greened rock,
in a clump of birch and pine, I breathed
the life-giving, fragrant air and watched
the awakening of Nature from her long
frozen sleep; feeling, too, the awakening
of a new hope, a yearning to greet my
dearest friend—for Nature is a true friend
to those who love her, a grand teacher
to those who seek her aright.

Among the fallen pine needles and
moist brown leaves, seeming in contrast
quite fresh and green, strayed the past
ridge vine, the Linnaea, and best of all
the trailing arbutus, its coarse, thick
leaves hiding and protecting the precious
buds from the cold days that still must
come ere their unfolding.

Here, too, the mitrewort, the winter-
green, the gold-thread and several ferns,
hidden safe beneath their snowy blankets,
look forth once more to the blessed
sunlight, and all in a sweet chorus, heard
only by the innermost spirit-sense, softly
whisper, "Spring! Spring!"

O, perfect spring days!

How gladly we welcome the return of
the song birds! How eagerly we seek
the haunts of the early flowers and
treasure them all, from the furry willow
blooms along the brookside to the first
spry blossoms of the bloodroot or the
dainty Queen of May (arbutus).

And still the cold winds must blow
with now and then a glimpse of promised
joy, for winter is loth to surrender the
land he has ruled at will. With
howls of defiance, inch by inch he re-
treats before the South Queen's hearals—
slowly, slowly, and at last, subdued
for a season, is lost 'mid the Northland
snows.

HORTENSE GARDNER GREGG.
Norway, Me., Mar. 14, 1903.

NORTH LOVELL.

Marshall Evans went to Lovell one day
last week.

John Stearns, the fancy goods peddler,
was here last week.

Alice Head of Center Lovell is a guest
at Will Farrington's.

Emma McAllister of Lovell is visiting
relatives this place.

Ella Sawyer of West Stoneham called
on friends last Friday.

Geo. Wilson has been having a bad
time with a sore foot.

Dean Andrews of Fryeburg was here
selling beef last Friday.

Nellie Andrews has been helping F.
Harriman the past week.

The snow is going fast and it will soon
be wheeling in this locality.

S. C. McAllister went to see his sister,
Mrs. O. McAllister, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Farrington went to
Norway shopping last Wednesday.

Ina Gammon of West Stoneham at-
tended dancing school Saturday night.

Mrs. J. C. Sawyer of West Stoneham
was at L. E. McAllister's Monday night.

Fonti Manning who has been visiting
Agnes Harriman, has been sick with
tonsillitis.

Bridgton Academy.

The prize declamations occur Wednes-
day evening, Mar. 23. The following are
the contestants:

Harry D. Lord, Gears Falls.
Hazel K. Webb, Bridgton.

Walter Spear, Standish.
Ruth E. Roberts, Harrison.

Arthur G. Spear, Standish.
Blanche L. Meserve, North Bridgton.

Ethel Haskell, Bolster's Mills.
George W. French, Kezar Falls.

Lawrence N. Wright, Gorham. N. H.
Lulu G. McIntire, East Waterford.

Alice J. Bennett, Bridgton.
Paul Foster, North Bridgton.

THE BROOKLYN SYSTEM OF PLANTING

Under the new tree planting ordi-
nance in Kansas City property owners
will have presented to them a sugges-
tion for the planting of trees that will
greatly enhance the beauty of the
streets at practically no extra cost to
the property owners. It is known as
the Brooklyn system and provides for
tree clusters at the street corners. Un-
der the ordinance the city forester as-
certains the wishes of the property
owners to a great extent in tree plant-
ing, and it is believed that they will be
favorably impressed with the proposed
arrangement.

The plan described in detail is as fol-
lows, showing the effect it will produce
and the advantages it will afford:

At street intersections, when prac-
ticable, place eight trees of large grow-
ing sorts, two trees on each corner,
each tree, as nearly as may be, on the
tree line of one street and on the prop-
erty line of the other street. The tops
of these trees, properly trained, will
be high above all awnings and lights,
and in time will form a grained arch
over both streets. This clump will
form a dense shade where it will do
the greatest good and least harm.

As the trees grow, the lower limbs
may be removed until there is a clean
shaft twenty feet high. The space un-
der the trees will be high, light and
airy and shady. Should any branch
approach too near a building it may be
removed. One can hardly realize the
beauty and utility of such an arrange-
ment without seeing it. In hot days
the shade will be very acceptable to
those waiting for cars. It will be very
pleasant for friends and acquaintances
meeting on the corners. People can
cross the streets in the shade of this
canopy. These places, which in hot
days are like furnaces heating the air,
will be changed into cooling shade.

These clumps of sturdy trees sup-
porting one another will form barriers
to high winds and protect single trees
and property in general.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Ed. Haskell has just recovered from a
spell of the grip.

H. E. Allen is working in the saw mill
at East Waterford.

J. W. Green has been shingling H. B.
Kneeland's house.

Bessie M. Adams has been visiting
friends at Bridgton.

The dance Friday night did not call
out a great number.

The bluebird, robin and sparrow have
been seen this spring.

Mrs. Henry Billings was in town last
Saturday from Bridgton.

Mrs. H. E. Allen has been visiting her
mother a few days at Bridgton.

Mercury has registered from 40 to 60
degrees above zero. Such weather is
fast destroying the sleighing.

Some of the grangers have been get-
ting some wood prepared for M. Munroe,
who is just recovering from pneumonia.

Rev. Sumner Estes.

Rev. Sumner Estes of Sanford died
suddenly of heart failure, Monday,
March 9.

Sumner Estes was born in Bethel,
June 11, 1827, and was a son of Eli and
Clarissa (Kimball) Estes, both also na-
tives of Bethel. The family is one of
the oldest in the United States, is
descended from one of the earliest En-
glish colonists of New England.

He received his rudimentary education
in the public schools of Bethel. In 1850
he matriculated in Waterville College,
now Colby College, with the intention of
preparing himself for the work of the
Christian ministry. Ill health, after at-
tending the institution three years, com-
pelled him in 1853 to discontinue his
studies. In the same year he was ap-
proved after examination by an ordinan-
ding council, and was duly set apart for
pastoral work in connection with the
Baptist denomination. He was subse-
quently engaged in ministerial labors
for nearly a quarter of a century. In
1871 he received a call to the pastorate
of the Baptist church in Sanford. This
he accepted, and zealously served in
that capacity until obliged by his poor
health to retire from the ministry.

In 1872 Mr. Estes established the Main
street drug store, at Sanford. But it
was practically conducted by his chil-
dren until 1875, when, his physical con-
dition requiring a change of occupation,
he assumed the management of the busi-
ness. In 1877 the firm was merged in
the present one of S. & E. M. Estes,
under which title the business has since
been conducted with enterprise and suc-
cess. Mr. Estes was for many years
the local manager of the Western Union
Telegraph company, whose Sanford office
is located in his store.

In 1882 Mr. Estes was united in mar-
riage to Sarah M. Holt of Bethel, a
daughter of Deacon Joseph Holt, now
deceased. Mr. and Mrs. Estes became
the parents of four children, two of
whom are now living—Eva M. and Dr.
Charles S. Dr. Charles S. Estes is a grad-
uate both of Colby and John Hopkins
Universities. He is at present connect-
ed with the Mixed High school at Brook-
lyn, N. Y. Mrs. Sumner Estes died in
February, 1885.

William F. Andrus.

William F. Andrus, editor of The
Gorham, N. H., Mountaineer from 1898
to 1897, died Saturday, March 7, at a
sanatorium in Brattleboro, Vt., where he
had been since last October. Mr. An-
drus was born in Craftsbury, Vt., May
11, 1838, and received his education at
Craftsbury academy. He learned the
printing trade in Newport and Barton,
Vt., and in 1862 went to Littleton, N. H.,
where he was employed by the Littleton
Press until 1897, when he went to
Berlin, N. H., and founded the Reporter.
On account of ill health he sold the Re-
porter and shortly after went to Brattle-
boro, where he died. He married, Jan.
1, 1884, Alice M. Watson of Littleton,
who survives him. Mr. Andrus was one
of the best known newspaper men of the
north country, and his death will be
mourned by a large circle of friends.

L. J. Saunders, Willis Learned, Clara
J. Hamlin and Augusta Monroe are the
committee for next Saturday's meeting
of Bear Mountain Grange, South Water-
ford.

John Mayhew, after a visit of two
weeks at his mother's home in Gilead,
returned to Rockland, Mass., his own
place of residence. He is to have charge
of the lasting room in the shoe shop of
Rice & Hutchins there.

TREES ON CORNERS.

The Brooklyn System of Planting

Under the new tree planting ordi-
nance in Kansas City property owners
will have presented to them a sugges-
tion for the planting of trees that will
greatly enhance the beauty of the
streets at practically no extra cost to
the property owners. It is known as
the Brooklyn system and provides for
tree clusters at the street corners. Un-
der the ordinance the city forester as-
certains the wishes of the property
owners to a great extent in tree plant-
ing, and it is believed that they will be
favorably impressed with the proposed
arrangement.

The plan described in detail is as fol-
lows, showing the effect it will produce
and the advantages it will afford:

At street intersections, when prac-
ticable, place eight trees of large grow-
ing sorts, two trees on each corner,
each tree, as nearly as may be, on the
tree line of one street and on the prop-
erty line of the other street. The tops
of these trees, properly trained, will
be high above all awnings and lights,
and in time will form a grained arch
over both streets. This clump will
form a dense shade where it will do
the greatest good and least harm.

As the trees grow, the lower limbs
may be removed until there is a clean
shaft twenty feet high. The space un-
der the trees will be high, light and
airy and shady. Should any branch
approach too near a building it may be
removed. One can hardly realize the
beauty and utility of such an arrange-
ment without seeing it. In hot days
the shade will be very acceptable to
those waiting for cars. It will be very
pleasant for friends and acquaintances
meeting on the corners. People can
cross the streets in the shade of this
canopy. These places, which in hot
days are like furnaces heating the air,
will be changed into cooling shade.

These clumps of sturdy trees sup-
porting one another will form barriers
to high winds and protect single trees
and property in general.

THE TOWN'S TREES.

Some Points About Their Care and
Protection.

Nothing makes a residence street in a
town more beautiful or desirable as a
place of homes than fine shade trees,
and yet nothing on the street has less
care than those very trees. They may
be the finest oaks, elms or maples, and
yet about every fifth tree will show
worms' nests or dead limbs. The owner
is nearly always indifferent, and of
course it is no concern of his neighbors.
Shade trees should be trimmed and
attended to every spring as much as
the fruit trees or hedges, and in buy-
ing or selling a house and lot they
should be given a money value along
with the buildings. A single dead limb
spoils the beauty of the finest tree, and
a worm's nest is the beginning of tree
poison. It will not be many years af-
ter its first appearance before the nest
will cover a good share of the top of
the tree, and within five or six the
grandest oak is ready to crash down be-
cause of a summer gale.

Massachusetts and other eastern states
are paying out many thousands of dol-
lars yearly to kill the insects which be-
gan working on the shade trees a few
years ago, and scores of towns have
had to mourn the loss of their finest
elms and maples. The authorities of
every town should have power in this
matter. While the trees along a
public walk may be owned by an indi-
vidual, they are public property in a
sense. They go to make up the beauty
of the street and the value of the prop-
erty thereon and offer their grateful shade
to every pedestrian. If the owner is
too busy or indifferent to prevent their
destruction and with

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Coming Events.

March 25-26-Baptist Quarterly Meeting, Bryant's Pond.
March 28-Auction, E. W. Dutton, Norway.
March 28-Deacons I Love You, Robinson Hall, Oxford.

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Amos F. Mason has been appointed postmaster at Porter.

The basket ball game between Hebron and the University of Maine at Orono, Saturday, resulted in a score 27 to 20 in favor of Maine.

The quarterly meeting of the Oxford County Baptist Association will be held with the Baptist church at Bryant's Pond, March 25 and 26.

If reports are true a citizen of Lovell recently tapped 30 oak trees thinking they were maples. We have heard of tapping apple trees to get cider but have never heard of any one tapping oak trees to get acorns.

Oxford County Fair.

The sixty-first exhibition of the Oxford County Agricultural Society will be held on the Fair Grounds between Norway and South Paris, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 15, 16, 17.

The society have just issued their prize list and in it have found the usual attractions and several changes and new ones. The liberal prizes for trotting and Grange exhibits ought to prove attractive. The fancy work premiums have also been changed to bring them in the scope of fancy work of to day. Fashions in fancy work change like other fashions.

OXFORD.

Oxford County Teachers.
The Oxford County Teachers' Convention will meet in Oxford, May 1 and 2. A fine program is in preparation and some of the best educational talent in New England is expected to be present. A cordial invitation is extended to every one interested in our public schools.

Hard wheeling on the country roads, but harder still the sledding.

March 17, Craigie lodge, No. 121, K. of P., worked the 3d degree on one candidate, after which refreshments were served. March 24, they will work first and second degrees.

S. Record was on the sick list last week.

Rev. A. H. Ericsson is attending the conference at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Benjamin Flood is still in Paris caring for her invalid sister.

Bertha Kavanaugh visited friends in Norway, Saturday and Sunday.

J. D. S. Harris, Curtis Keene and Alton Verill went to Boston, Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Bumpus and Mrs. M. P. Bumpus spent Thursday of last week with friends in Paris and Norway.

EAST BETHEL.

D. W. Cole visited Lewiston, last Friday.

Mrs. Etta Bean is visiting her sister in Lawrence, Mass.

Jennie Swan is the new assistant in the store and post office.

M. E. Bartlett and others have recently had a number of tons of hay pressed.

Master Henry Howe from South Paris is visiting his cousin, Master John Howe.

Mrs. Sarah Seavey from Portland spent the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. S. Mayconnel.

A. M. Bean is getting out the lumber preparatory to building a new house, the coming season.

SNOWS FALLS.

Mrs. Ellen F. Curtis of South Paris was at Robert Shaw's, Sunday.

The ice went out of the river, March 14 and 15, somewhat earlier than last year.

Iza L. Curtis of West Paris, formerly of this place, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert E. Shaw, and brother, C. L. Curtis, for a few days.

Messrs. Giles and Powers of South Paris have been at work repairing and painting the schoolhouse, preparatory to having a term of school here. Since the abolishing of the districts, the schoolhouse has been sadly neglected and allowed to fall into decay.

BARRETT.

Willie Cushman has moved to Greenwood.

Lena Sewall is at home on a week's vacation.

Dell Davenport has got through working for F. L. Barrett.

Mrs. Mary Sewall remains about the same, improving slowly.

Mrs. James Heald had a three-hour's circle Thursday afternoon.

A few from this place attended the dance at West Sumner, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Barrett enjoyed a week's visit among relatives in South Woodstock and Greenwood, last week.

WEST DENMARK.

Mrs. Will Walker is very sick with the grip.

Mac Milliken of Bridgton is working in Wm. Hazeltine's mill.

Harry Horr of Portland visited his uncle, Joseph Swan, the past week.

Mrs. Joseph Wentworth has gone to Brownfield to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bert Perry.

Elden Shirley of Fryeburg has been doing some plastering in the house recently bought by W. N. Carver.

Fanciers of good-bred premium winning Plymouth Rocks will do well to read the ad. of J. W. Conroy. Write him or call on him (in the evening) at Beal's Hotel, Norway, Me.

Supreme Judicial Court.

The Finish of March Term, Last Week—Very Brief Session—Only One Jury Case—The Divorces.

Court adjourned, Saturday afternoon, after one of the shortest sessions in this county. A good many cases were disposed of by agreement of the parties and by default, but there were few cases tried. There were no civil cases before a jury and only one criminal case.

Thursday morning the case of Kimball vs. Dresser was brought up. As there was no question of fact but one of law the evidence was taken to be used in the law court, the jury trial being dispensed with. A couple hours disposed of the case as far as this court is concerned.

In the afternoon a beginning was made on the criminal docket.

Ernest Begin and Josephine Begin, charged keeping drinking house and tippling shop and also nuisance. They had appealed from a sentence of the Rumford Falls Municipal court, were unable to furnish bonds and had been in jail two months. On the nuisance case they were each fined \$200 and costs, or four months in jail, the other case being continued. They went to jail.

Thomas Collins of Rumford Falls paid a fine of \$200 and costs on a nuisance indictment, and sentence was suspended on another liquor indictment.

James Harvey pleaded guilty to assault and battery. Ninety days in jail.

George Gagan of Rumford Falls pleaded guilty of nuisance. Fined \$200 and costs. In default he received four months in jail.

Selden C. Foster of Norway on indictment for allowing minors to play in pool room, paid \$10 fine and \$14.25 costs, and the indictment for illegal keeping open was continued.

Philip Ashe of Rumford Falls, indictment for adultery was not pressed on payment of \$40 costs.

Larry Curran paid \$50 fine and \$7.41 costs for single sale.

George E. Coffeen, who ran away with the young girl, marrying her in New Hampshire, the girl being within the age of consent, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year in Auburn jail.

Robert Dolan, aged 19 years, indicted for breaking and entering and larceny. The first indictment was not pressed because of mitigating circumstances the indictment for larceny was placed on file.

Lida Newell paid \$20 costs and an appeal case from sentence of lower court was dropped.

Irving Beare, W. H. Raye, Stephen Pennell and Ernest O. Wakeloy on an assault and battery case appealed from the Rumford Falls Municipal court, paid each a fine of \$1 and costs of \$3.

Henry Downs, retracted a plea of not guilty to an indictment for single sale and entered a plea of guilty. Fined \$50 and sentence of thirty days in jail. Sentence was suspended during good behavior.

No indictment was found against Joseph Rovinsky of Rumford Falls for setting fire to his buildings and he was discharged.

Dr. J. B. Twaddle of Bethel pleaded solo to contend to three indictments for liquor selling. On one he was fined \$100 and costs of \$30. Sentence was suspended on the others.

Linnaeus R. Cole, South Paris, withdrew his appeal from the Norway Municipal court and paid the fine imposed.

Milton H. Milham of Norway was tried Friday afternoon. This was the only jury case this term. The case was appealed from the Norway Municipal court, and was for cruelty to animals.

A hog was kept several weeks in an enclosure of one-third acre, and surrounded by stone wall and no shelter of any kind. It was found on Nov. 8 by the cruelty agent, Chas. F. Boober, the temperature was below freezing and the hog appeared to be suffering greatly. The defense was that there was a shelter under a shelving rock and another without covering where straw was put in. The jury returned a verdict of guilty. A fine of \$10 and \$27.50 costs were imposed and paid.

The case of York against Magalloway Plantation, assigned for Monday, was carried over to next term as it was found impossible to get all the witnesses to court. The other cases assigned were continued and court adjourned Saturday afternoon with only five days session.

Philip Ashe from Jennie Ashe—desertion.

Mary J. Sargent from William E. Sargent—cruel and abusive treatment.

Rachel A. Jordan from Sherman A. Jordan—gross and continued habits of intoxication. Name of libelant changed to Rachel A. Turner, her maiden name.

Hattie E. Twombly from Wm. L. Twombly—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor children to libelant.

Alice Stacy from John F. Stacy—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor children to libelant.

Valentine Gilnes from Jane E. Gilnes—desertion.

Horace E. Walker from Ellura A. Walker—adultery.

Fannie W. Crockett from Parley E. Crockett—adultery.

Nellie F. Aukins from Frank L. Aukins—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor children to libelant.

Herbert P. Millett from Jessie S. Millett—cruel and abusive treatment.

James H. Porter from Marian A. T. D. Porter—desertion.

Annie M. Barrows from Edgar F. Barrows—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor child to libelant.

Carrie B. Benson from William Benson—cruel and abusive treatment.

Clara E. Cole from Orel E. Cole—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor children to libelant.

Thomas Jones from Isabella Jones—cruel and abusive treatment.

Joseph Lefebvre from Ida May Lefebvre—adultery.

Calista A. Delano from Jephtha A. Delano—desertion.

Blanche K. McCormack from John J. McCormack—desertion.

Lilla E. Wood from Walter A. Wood—adultery. Custody of minor children to libelant.

Mary L. Fogg from Benjamin S. Fogg—desertion.

Arthur E. Wright from Mary A. Wright—cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor child to libelant.

John P. York from Annie S. York—desertion.

Judge Spear managed the business of the court in a thorough and efficient manner and members of the bar who had business transacted speak very highly of him.

EAST OXFORD.

A. B. Thayer went to Lewiston, Wednesday.

Nellie Johnson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose Billings, at Hebron.

Mrs. Rose Dudley of Phippen, N. H., is stopping at Mrs. Geo. Thomas's.

Leonard Canwell of Welchville has been caring for Geo. Thomas the past week.

C. E. Eox of Fryeburg and N. T. Fox of Lovell, dealers in grain and flour, have decided to do a strictly cash business after April 1st, 1903.

NORTH NORWAY.

Fell from the Great Beams.
Little Teddy Hunt fell from the great beams in the barn and struck on his head. He was taken up insensible but seems all right now.

Walter Buck is shipping his apples to Berlin, N. H.

Jacob Frost from Lynn is visiting at E. F. Green's.

Mrs. A. W. Judkins and sons from Upton are in town.

Chandler Merrill is visiting his mother at James French's.

C. G. French and family have moved into the Knary House.

J. K. French and his cousins are at work in their shingle mill.

Mrs. H. Brown and Mrs. E. Dunn entertain the circle the 25th.

School at center has begun with the same teacher as last term, Kate Town.

Newell Young and Augustus Hayes were at Mrs. S. J. Caldwell's recently.

O. N. Cox is having his ell finished in fine style with all the modern conveniences.

Mrs. Carrie Kingman and two children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos French.

Asa Flint is visiting in New Hampshire, Lawrence, Boston and other places. We understand that he is wanted in the store where he worked last year at Northumberland.

C. A. Frost and J. S. Herrick are working on the Cox house, building a bay window and finished a kitchen with southern pine, laying maple floor and other work including pantry.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

A Big Cake.

Clithrope, the little two-year-old child of Merion Warren on seeing the first snow this winter said: "Oh, mamma, see what a big frosted cake!"

Syd Swallow and family were at Guy Turner's last Sunday.

Earl Hammond has hired out to Jim Bicknell for six months.

Mrs. Mary Capen was at Stephen Spaulding's, last Sabbath.

George Turner is visiting his grandfather and aunt at Auburn.

Mrs. Celia Dunham was out calling on her old neighbors, the 18th.

Norman Bessey has moved back home, having finished his job at Buckfield.

Jennie Bouney and Mae Bradbury called to see the Warren sisters last Sabbath.

Charles H. Record from Turner was in this place the past week and bought five hogs.

George Heald is quite sick so he has to have a doctor and Jennie Varney has come to take care of him.

Charlie Philbrook visited his cousin in Sumner for a few days last week. He will work for Fred Heald this spring.

Merton and Frank Warren have started out with the gasoline engine sawing wood. They sawed up Earl Jack's woodpile last week.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Hosea R. Allen.

Hosea R. Allen, formerly of Hiram but for a number of years past a resident of Lockeford, Cal., died Feb. 27th, as a result of injuries received Feb. 18th, by being thrown backward from a carriage and totally paralyzed.

Dick Hutchins is at F. L. Eastman's doing chores.

Mrs. Hannah Charles is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. Sarah Stevens is quite poorly, necessitating the attendance of a physician.

Mrs. Marcia Andrews returned to her home in Lovell, March 14, after a week's stay among relatives in Harbor and West Fryeburg.

Mrs. Nancy McKeen is still confined to her bed, the result of a very bad sprain to her ankle.

Fred Shaw, who has been at Willis Farrington's the past month, has returned to his home.

Mrs. Ella Hardy has so far recovered from her serious illness as to be able to ride out a short distance.

F. E. Emery, wife and daughter were guests at Mrs. E.'s mother's, Mrs. A. S. Farrington's, on March 14.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ballard have returned home after a week's outing at Mrs. B.'s native town, Jackson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Meserve entertained quite a large white party, Saturday evening. We think the traveling will soon make these parties "must."

Marguerite McKeen was called home from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. H. D. E. Hutchins, one day last week, but will return this week to complete her intended visit.

S. O. Wiley intends to spend next Sabbath in Sweden. He has subscribed for the ADVERTISER that he may "know" when people shingle their barns or go a visiting."

LYNCHVILLE.

Gertrude Cobb is visiting her cousin, Hazel Keniston at North Stoneham.

Mrs. Mason Cordwell visited at Ananias McAllister's two days this week.

Leona McKeen is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Adams at West Stoneham.

Mrs. Burnham McKeen visited her daughter, Mrs. John Adams last week.

Our lumbermen will have lots of bolts left in the woods, which will be a total loss.

Mrs. Ephraim McKeen and son Everett of North Lovell visited her brother last week.

Spaulding Abbott of North Norway finished work for L. Burnham last Tuesday.

L. H. Burnham has gone to Hollis to see his mother who fell down stairs last week.

Annie Meader is in very poor health. Her trip to Boston has not been any benefit to her.

HARBOR.

Rug fever is in our midst.

Alce Emerson of Stow was at A. W. McKeen's recently.

Knight, Benson and Pray are busy sugaring at the Frye orchard.

Mrs. Benson spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barker at Toll Bridge.

The circle was entertained last Friday by Mrs. Rose Thompson and Mrs. Dell Watson. A very large crowd took supper and listened to the following program:

..... Mrs. E. Pray and daughter

..... Rev. John Collins' Portland

..... Singing.

WEST STONEHAM.

Transporting the Schoolhouse.

Riley McKee of North Stoneham is moving the schoolhouse to the spot where it is to be located near the cider mill. The two districts are to be put together and the schoolhouse centered to save the transportation of scholars.

Ella Sawyer is visiting friends in Lovell this week.

H. B. McKee is selling wall paper, mouldings, etc.

Charlie Adams of North Stoneham has gone to Bridgton to work.

Blanche Adams of North Stoneham is in quite poor health, I understand.

Quite a number of the farmers have tapped some trees and report a very good run so far.

Cory McAllister of Auburn has been visiting his cousin, Wm. Gammon, for some time.

W. W. Durgin, who has been stopping at H. B. McKee's through the winter, has returned home.

Mrs. J. O. Sawyer returned home from Lovell last week, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Burnham McKee and little grandson of Albany have recently visited her daughter, Mrs. John Adams.

The hillsides are decorated with quite large spots of bare ground and the welcome song of the robin is heard on lovely mornings.

OTISFIELD.

Crushed Her Finger.

Mrs. E. A. Davis had the misfortune to drop a heavy window sash on the third finger of her right hand, Friday morning, which besides being a painful bruise at present, will doubtless result in the loss of the nail of that finger.

C. W. Sanborn sold his black mare, Saturday, to F. Stanley of Waterford.

R. F. Stone and G. B. Turner left on Tuesday morning for a ten days' trip in Massachusetts.

C. N. Record of Buckfield, a former resident of this town, has been staying a few days with A. H. Nutting.

A citizens' telephone movement is agitating the people of this town just at present with the indications at this time pointing toward a sure thing.

CASCO.

Weather Prophets.

The first wagon was seen in this place the 14th. Some old people predict that we shall have more snow this spring and enough for sleighing.

Hattie Edwards is working at the village.

Hall Edwards has a cow that dropped twin steer calves.

Dr. L. H. Poore is confined to the house with a bad cold.

Dan A. Spiller who has been away the past year, has returned home.

D. Hamlin and family visited friends at Webb's Mills on the 15th.

Mae Barton who has been in Raymond a few days, has returned home.

E. A. Barton who has been on the sick list the past two weeks, is gaining.

Mrs. Rebecca Decker has been very sick at her home in the village the past week.

Earle Spiller and family have moved to his father's, C. W. Spiller's at Webb's Mills.

Maurice and Clarence Tripp of the eastern part of the town called on friends in this place Sunday.

The Casco Grange played their drama, "A Woman's Honor," for the last time the 18th, at Harris Hill, until settled traveling.

George Nutting has been very sick the past week. His sons Fred from Boston, and Lafayette from Poland have been at home. Mr. Nutting is thought to be gaining.

J. Brackett of Poland was here the 14th, looking for a woman to do housework as his family were all sick. He did not find any one as help is scarce around here.

WEST PARIS.

Albert Bowker of Bryant's Pond is clerking for Frank Small.

Della Ridlon has returned from her visit to her sister at Yarmouth.

Samuel Estes and Mrs. Ellingwood were married, last Monday evening.

FRYEBURG.

Fears for the Bridge.

The Saco was quite high the middle of last week. The ice went out above the bridge and a short distance below there was a great ice jam. There was considerable anxiety about the bridge, Friday, but in the afternoon the jam gave away and the channel was soon clear.

Marion Ward is visiting her aunt at Intervale, N. H.

Maple syrup is in the market and it is of a fine quality.

Stephen E. Ward is again at work in the clear factory.

S. A. Page is out again after being hurt a few days.

H. H. Burbank had the telephone put in his store last week.

Rev. Mr. Burrill of Conway preached last Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. John Ward went to Bridgton last Friday to see her sick sister.

Mrs. H. H. Burbank and daughter are among the victims of the grip.

The maple sugar makers reported a good crop, Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. Jordan has been quite sick several days. Her two sisters are visiting her.

Mrs. John Phillips has gone on an excursion to visit to Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

Large quantities of potatoes were brought into market here last week, farmers taking advantage of the last sales.

Charles Twombly, assistant in the office of the superintendent of the Maine Central Railroad at Portland, was seen in town Sunday.

Joseph Johnson and son, who have taken the contract to plaster the new schoolhouse, have got all over it with one cut and are putting on the finishing coat this week.

Mrs. Mary Fifield was called to Peabody, Mass., last week, by the sudden illness of her husband, who has been working there. All hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Frye, our postmistress, has been confined to her house with sickness for about a week and Clara Page is taking her place in the office to the general satisfaction of the public.

Mrs. Eason, who has been living on Portland street for several years, has moved with her family of children to South Paris. We are all sorry to have this family leave our village.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Mrs. Lillie Hobson visited at Leslie Hobson's, last Friday.

Mr. Frank Roy is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Sylvanus Kneeland is now able to go out doors and is slowly improving.

Mrs. E. J. Farmer is in very poor health. Her daughter, Mrs. Littlefield, is with her at present.

The Ladies' Circle was entertained in the church vestry last Thursday evening by Mrs. Ellen Millett and Mrs. Ella Knight.

Mrs. John Rice has returned from Norway. She has been suffering from a severe cold but is much better at this writing.

Rev. E. W. Pond has returned from Connecticut, and preached last Sunday. Mrs. Helen Saunders has taken Mrs. Hattie Saunders' place at the organ.

The teams are busy working long hours, to draw the popular from "The Kezars" to Crooked River before the snow is all gone. Several teams are here from Norway.

The song of the robin is heard in the land, and also the music of Carl Brown's water wheel, which is fitted up with a string of bells, making a monotonous, if not melodious chiming at each revolution.

The next circle will be the 24th at the vestry.

Alice Stone is at work for Mrs. Ernest Mason.

Mrs. M. Hamlin called last Saturday on Mrs. B. W. and Mr. B. Rice.

Fonti Manning is at work for Mrs. Aggie Harriman, North Lovell.

Leona Bisbee of Bisbeetown is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Woodsam at Portland.

The next dance at Odd Fellows' hall will be a calico ball on the evening of the 21st.

Florence Browne called on Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Holt at Lynchville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Saunders spent last Thursday at Norway with her sister, Mrs. Hattie Saunders.

Arthur Chadbourne of Bridgton was in town last Thursday stopping over night with his cousin, Arthur Saunders.

Isabel Woodbury and niece, Beatrice Saunders and friend, Miss Ladd of Norway spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss W's mother and sister, Mrs. Alice Saunders.

The entertainment which was to have been given with our circle last week, was postponed as some who were to take part are having bad coughs and colds. Carl Brown kindly entertained us with his graphophone.

EAST HIRAM.

Mrs. Julia Davis of Portland is the guest of her cousin, Mr. Sarah Bean.

H. Louise Flint has returned to her work as stenographer for the architects, Coombs and Gibbs, of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Rankin are spending some weeks with their daughter, Mrs. N. E. Rankin and family in Lewiston.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hartford is home from Boston where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Burnell, who has poor health. Mrs. Burnell was visited last week by her brother, Ezra N. McKenney of North Sebago.

Fred R. Bean and his niece Bethesada Bosworth, went to Denmark, Thursday March 12th, to celebrate the first birthday anniversary of his twins Gladys and Phillips. His oldest daughter, Zera is also in Denmark with her aunt, Mrs. Maud Witham.

Mrs. E. C. Burnell returned from Sabattus last week. She was called there in January by the severe illness of her daughter, Mrs. Amazi D. Sanborn and family. She was sick with the same disease, the grip, while there but is quite well herself and Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn and children are much better.

H. H. Bisbee, Harrison, wants a man to run a Ricker boiler and another to run a stripper. He advertises in this issue.

Advertised Letters, Norway.
Miss L. A. Taylor, Esther M. Cushman.
Dora E. Wright.

ANDOVER.

Injured by a Falling Tree.

Mr. Chas. Learned was seriously injured last week by a falling tree. He was unconscious for several hours. He received several cuts on the neck, arm and other parts of the body. He is now improving.

Henry Potter was in town last week. Jane Greer is ill and under the care of a doctor.

John Newton has gone on a trip to Buckfield.

Asa West came from the Falls to attend town meeting.

The ice has left Sawyer brook and it is clear for driving.

Frank Akers is much improved and able to go out doors.

Mrs. Willard Newhall has sent large orders for wall paper.

Stephen Cabot is expected to arrive from Boston this week.

Harry Thomas and Nathan Akers visited Rufford Falls last Tuesday.

There is an attendance at dancing school of more than 30 couples.

Fred Smith has returned from Paris where he has served as jurymen.

Warren Marston will break camp this week. His contract is not quite filled.

Alice Bedell is spending her vacation in Boston visiting friends and relatives.

The men and teams that have been hauling birch for R. Grover, have returned to Portland.

Several of our young people attended the symphony concert at the Falls and report a fine performance.

Alice Poor visited Rufford Falls last Tuesday. Margery Burgess and Harriet Learned visited the Falls this week.

The men who have been in the woods will lose no time as there is every appearance of an early driving season.

Walter Barnes made a trip to Oxford last week. He found his brother Daniel improved. We hope to see him home soon.

Y. P. S. C. E. society had an apron and fancy article sale on Wednesday evening of this week. Ice cream and cake were on sale.

Charles Newton tapped 475 trees last Friday. J. and Richard Talbot had tapped 100 trees Friday. Mr. Lewis Akers has made a quantity of maple syrup. George and Sydney Abbott have tapped a quantity of trees.

We are having spring days and the sun is making the snow disappear. The hills already are bare and the crows, bluejays and robins stay at our windows which tells us that spring is here. The farmers have been tapping trees the past week.

Lone Mt. Grange, No. 181, P. of H., will hold their next meeting, March 21. The following will be the program:

Music.....Grange Reading.....Ada Lovejoy Question.....Which has the greater influence upon our lives, the company we keep or the literature we read? A. L. E. Talbot, Mrs. L. E. Hall, Neg. L. E. Hall, Mrs. J. E. Talbot.

Song.....William Perkins Singing.....Grange

NORTH WOODSTOCK.

A Full Dozen.

Spring is with us once again. Twelve robins alighted at one time in J. H. Ackley's yard, Friday morning.

Walter Sessions has finished his school at Rufford and returned home.

J. H. Ackley and John Titus of Bryant's Pond have exchanged oxen.

Mr. Hubbard, a trader at Rufford Falls, was in town on business last Saturday.

David Harding, wife and children went to Auburn last Thursday returning Saturday.

Captain Charles Adams, wife and daughter visited at A. H. Sessions' last Friday.

Augustus Billings was confined to the house by sickness the past week but is reported as much better.

George Cole and Billy Lane have taken the job of driving the pulp lumber in the various streams here and Milton and have begun work.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham of Rufford Falls visited her sister, Mrs. Stella Sessions last Tuesday, also visited her parents, H. Russ and wife and Mr. Lapham's father who is very sick at Bethel. They returned Friday.

WEST LOVELL.

Mrs. D. LeBaron went to Sebago last week.

Oscar Kimball has bought the Marr place in Waterford.

Joel Allard went across the hills on snowshoes to Chatham, N. H., last Saturday.

Ralph McAllister went across the pasture to Wm. Gammon's in Stoneham last Saturday.

John A. Fox started his mill last week, with his sons Augustus and Arthur, Alexander Laroque, Geo. Whitehouse and Ed Hodgdon to help him.

Nellie Lord, who was at work for Mrs. Z. McAllister, was obliged to go home Thursday on account of sickness. Her sister Lillian has also been sick.

It has been very sickly for the past two weeks, hardly a family but has had sick ones. In John Fox's family there were five sick at once; and in John A. Fox's family, three.

NORWAY LAKE.

A. D. Kilgore was sick with grip last week.

Will Twitchell has moved his family to Sumner.

Mrs. Webster Kilgore is ill with grip and tonsillitis.

Mother's club met with Mrs. Maud Wood, Wednesday.

Miss S. P. Newhall has gone back to her work in Boston.

Virgil Flood has gone to work for Freeman Bolster again.

Arthur Richardson of Denmark was at A. D. Kilgore's, Monday night.

The Norway Lake Woman's club will meet with Mrs. W. S. Partridge, March 25th.

NORTH NEWBY.

Fred Wight has been hauling birch for J. Thompson.

J. F. Lewis was in town recently with a stock of dry and fancy goods.

Harlan Bartlett is visiting friends and relatives in town and Gratton.

M. L. Thurston and son Wade were in town last week looking after their birch and spruce pulp.

Widd Twaddle of Bethel was in town March 15, on his way to the Lakes for his brother Gard who has been there a week fishing for pickerel.

WEST BETHEL.

The Longest Way Home.

Len Sumner and wife from the north side of the river came across at one o'clock and when they were ready to go back, the ice had left the shore so they could not go across. Mrs. Sumner stayed over night. Mr. Sumner went to Gilead and across on the bridge and came down on the north side home, which made a long journey to get one-half mile.

Mrs. Fred Mastermon is in poor health.

Elmer Fiske has gone to Locke's Mills to work.

Bicycles have made their appearance in this village.

L. C. Waterhouse has finished working at the mill.

D. H. Hastings from Auburn was in this village last Monday.

Lettie Thayer who has been away all winter, has returned home.

Mrs. Walter Strickland is improving since her return from the hospital.

Herbert Mason has out a new sign at his store. Look at it when passing by.

Tom Yashaw and wife have moved into the south end of A. Haskell's house.

Albert Whitman and Levi Bartlett of Grover were in this village last Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Goodnow is being visited by her granddaughters from Gorham, N. H.

Joseph Swett shows us a violin of his own make which looks to be quite valuable.

Marion Morrill has gone to Gorham, N. H., and is stopping with Stella Goodridge.

Ed Bell has recently placed a nice piano on the stage in the hall which will add greatly to the music.

Bert Titus came here last Monday night. He is working in the mill. He is a brother to Mrs. N. R. Springer.

Mrs. Eugene Heath of Bethel was in this village last Saturday and attended the dance in the evening at Bell's Hall.

Lottie and Grace Mason went to Gilead last Friday and returned home Sunday afternoon, and attended the band reunion.

We had the pleasure of listening to singing by Goldie Swett recently. She has a fine voice and sang nice for one of her age, eleven years.

The drama, "Down in Maine," will be given at Bell's Hall, Thursday evening, by home talent. Long time has been spent in getting ready for it and a fine time is expected.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Even the Dogs Are Visiting.

The big St. Bernard dog formerly owned by George Abbott but now belonging to Ellsworth Meader of Stoneham has back at his old home apparently making a visit among old scenes and friends.

Elliott Kimball is at work for P. P. Dresser.

Henry Sawin's horse has been sick with the horse ail.

Mrs. Linnie Allen has returned from a short trip to Rochester.

Ernest Paine of Oxford is visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie French.

Addison Holt and wife of Lynchville were at Merritt Sawin's last Tuesday.

Merritt Sawin has been suffering from the effects of a severe cold but is improving at present.

Luella Lord recently spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lord, at the Albany Basin House.

Samuel Young has sold his farm to J. F. Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Holt of Locke's Mills are at Merritt Sawin's for a while. Mr. Holt is out of the mill at present, being laid up with an affection of the eyes, which is very painful and he is at present obliged to remain in a dark room.

Spring has come sure. We hear the song of the robin and bluebird, and the hoarse croak of the frog is reported but whether it was a croak or a cough would seem to be a question as any frog that would be indiscreet enough to come up through ice and snow now would certainly be a good subject for the group.

NORWAY CENTER.

Walter C. Hobbs has been home from Boston for a few days.

Margie Hobbs has been staying for a short time with her aunt at North Norway.

Mrs. Harlan Brown and Mrs. Elma Brown will entertain the circle at the Chapel, Mar. 25.

Our mail carrier has not got around every day since the snow so nearly left us, and it shows how much we depend on R. F. D.

HEBRON.

Mrs. Nathaniel Melcher and daughter Grace of Portland have moved to Hebron.

Prof. and Mrs. James Pike of Livermore Falls are visiting friends in Hebron.

Agnes M. Bearce is at home for a two weeks' vacation from teaching at Rufford Falls.

The Ladies' circle met at the church, Tuesday afternoon and evening, for a picnic supper.

Farmers have tapped their maple trees. The season open rather favorably as such warm weather is injurious to the business.

BRYANT'S FOND.

Ralph Bacon returns to Gould Academy this week.

Archie Felt was in Portland on business last week.

Albert Russ will work for Alton Bacon a few days this week.

S. L. Russ, H. H. Cushman and H. A. Bacon went to Bath Saturday with Capt. Adams to see a vessel launched. They report the snow about all gone there.

Crows, robins and bluebirds are plentiful and Saturday the thermometer registered 86. The snow left so sudden this spring that the people failed to get in a supply of ice.

GILEAD.

Little Harry Newell, while playing several days ago, had a fall, striking the front part of his head.

Wild river cleared out several days ago. Sunday, we noticed that the Androscoggin was beginning to clear, some ice and logs being on the move.

The Gilead Cornet band celebrated its first anniversary by an entertainment at the town hall, last Saturday night. Friends were present from Shelburne and Gorham.

Estella Lory of Shelburne was in town last Thursday. Miss Lory is an excellent pianist and we are glad that the weather now permits her to resume her labors as teacher of music in town.

WEST SUMNER.

The Masquerade.

The masquerade party of Friday night was a delightful time. Everyone speaks of how prettily the whole affair was arranged and carried out.

Following are a few of the representatives:

Dawn.....Vina Bonney
Evening.....Mrs. Margaret Heald
Goodnight.....Della Dyer
Midnight.....Dot Heald
Shuffle.....Miss Varney
Garland.....Edith Robinson
Flower Girl.....Ellen Giff
Indian Chief's Daughter.....Ida Bonney
Uggle Sam.....Arthur Bonney
Cowboy.....Emory Kyrson
Chinaman.....Willis Ames
Court Jester.....James Packard
Spanish Girl.....George Morrill
Crown.....Harry Crockett
L. S. General.....Elmer March
The Game Clown.....Covey Bon
The Man in Red.....Harry Pulsifer
Fancy Masques.....Misses Cummings and Barrows

Walter Chandler recently sold a riding wagon to Willis Ames.

Miss Moody of Hebron is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Adaline Stetson.

Mrs. Ann C. West has been visiting friends in this village for the past ten days.

James Packard went to Canton, Mar. 16, to put in a new telephone instrument.

Mrs. Carl Dunham was visited by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chase of West Paris, last week.

Agnes Bonney entertained the whist club, Saturday. A most pleasant time was passed by all.

On Saturday, Mar. 21, will occur the regular annual business meeting of Baptist church. A full attendance is desired.

Miss Cheney of Brattleboro, Vt., who is a teacher in the public schools of Bar Harbor, recently visited her friend, Mrs. Clifton Dunham.

Robins and phobes have returned. Mar. 9 was the first time one was seen, this year. Several have been seen since. Wagons were used Monday Mar. 16, in our village.

Alton Fales and Herbert Heath made a trip with two teams to Bolster's Mills, last week, after household goods for a man who is working for E. I. Brown. They went Friday, returning Saturday.

The usual good number attended the Best of the Best contest, though the traveling was bad. Luella Farrar will entertain on Mar. 26. There will be a graphophone entertainment after dinner.

Because I Love You.

Saturday, March 25, at Robinson hall, Oxford, the Jolly Twelve will present the sterling and romantic drama, "Because I Love You." This is one of Mr. Fraser's most realistic and romantic of modern dramas. The comedy element is particularly strong. The Irish major, gypsy tinker, negro servant, gypsy sonneteer, gypsy old woman, and old maid will tide your risibilities.

Imogene Courtleigh, wilful, wayward, wealthy ginger, gypsy wail.....Nellie Hayes
Nancy, gypsy wail.....Bertha Hazen
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Prudence Freeheart, a poor relation.....Mrs. Emma Jones
Horace Verner, an artist and accidentally a married man.....Dr. Harris
Dink Potts, his chum and a love with Ginger.....Reggie Robinson
Ira Courtleigh, Imogene's guardian.....Dr. Holden
Burt Tyeon, gypsy tinker.....Ed Fuller
Major Duffy, county clerk and Confederate vet. Squire Ripley.....B. Jones
Lige, a gentleman of color.....Feney French
Music, Jones' orchestra.

Children's Impulses.

The famous Professor Lombroso of Italy says that nearly all children are born criminals. What he means is that they are wanting in the moral sense and that small children are more inclined to do wrong than to do right. Such inclination is shown in the tendency to act as savages—to be cruel and selfish, to get into a rage and scream or fight when thwarted or disappointed. Such a child often gets punished by violent scolding or whipping. This is wrong. The child is only following its natural impulse. What it needs is not punishment, but training—calm, patient teaching—with firmness, but kindness.

Broom Bags.

No housewife should be without broom bags. Heavy cotton flannel is used for these. A bag large enough to easily admit the broom is made, with the furry side of the flannel out. About two inches from the end the bag is stitched across, thus making a loose, extra wiping surface across the end of the broom. In the hem of the other ends runs a drawstring. On sweeping days the broom is incased in this bag, tied tight around the handle and the walls cleaned much better than by any other broom or brush. By having several supplied to the maid there will be no excuse for dusty walls.

A Stitch In Time.

Linen should be carefully inspected from time to time before being sent to the laundry, and after a piece is repaired it should be carefully washed and ironed and laid aside until all the contents of the linen closet have been successfully scrutinized, used again and ironed. A break in linen is almost doubled in size and is rendered much more difficult to mend neatly if the article is first washed and wrung, then dried in a windy place and, lastly, starched and ironed.

The Mantel.

An old wood or marble mantel can be made quite decorative by placing bookshelves underneath. If they occupy the entire space, hang a curtain to the mantelshelf and let it fall to the floor in front of the shelves to protect the books. If they occupy the space of the fireplace only, attach the curtain to the top shelf.

A Kid Reviver.

A good kid reviver for either boots or gloves is made by boiling an old kid glove top or a pair of old kid gloves. They will soon dissolve and form a jelly which is as good a kid reviver as any one can buy.

WILSON'S MILLS.

Montie Fox has been quite ill with pneumonia but is now on the gain.

E. S. Bennett is moving home from Errol, having finished his logging job there.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Keeping Fancy Poultry.
At the poultry show in Lewiston last winter, our genial marketman L. I. Gilbert became much interested in the display of high grade poultry and almost immediately on his return purchased some poultry of good breeding and began to prepare a place to keep them.
He erected a house that, though not conspicuous by its size, is a very convenient comfortable and healthful building for the purpose. In these respects indeed it is not surpassed anywhere. In each particular it represents the latest and most approved idea of poultry keeping.

There are five pens, each 8x12 feet, with a large two-sash window, the remaining space beside each window being filled with a door swinging to the ceiling and fastening there. Both windows and doorways are covered with poultry netting.

The roosts are well elevated and in front are similar doorways which are left down and fastened after the birds are home for the night and through the day are fastened to the top of the pen. Each section has water and grit dishes fastened to the walls and arranged so that foreign matter cannot fill them up.

The first pen contains eight black minorcas which are Mr. Gilbert's latest purchase. Of uniform color they make a handsome showing. The second pen is of eleven barred Plymouth rocks. The barring is even and extends to the limit of the feathers.

The next lot is of white wyandottes. These are the most handsome birds of this variety and attract much attention. The most showy lot are the fourteen buff cochin including one which took first prize at state fair in 1902.

In the last pen are thirteen light Brahmas which are uniformly marked and very handsome birds one of which took third prize at state fair last year. Both the last lots are very large birds.

The owner is getting a good return of eggs and is about to begin the use of an incubator with 120 eggs.

C. N. Tubbs is thoroughly repairing, painting and renovating the building opposite Beck's, lately vacated by A. J. Nevers.

E. H. Brown was out of doors a while Thursday and Friday, the first time since last November. Everyone is glad to see him out again.

At the house and ball at the Norway Opera House Friday night were noticed Judge Spear, A. E. Stearns, esq., of Rumford Falls and F. A. Fox of Kezar Falls. Now the question has been raised: Did Stearns and Fox compete for the Judge or was he with them to see that they kept straight. It is reported that Judge Spear has straightened some of the crooked ones of Oxford Co., so they do not want to have the law cure from him again.

Mrs. Agnes S. Bennett was pleasantly surprised Monday evening, March 9, at her home near Lynn street. It being her 76th birthday her children gave her a party. There were four great grand children present, the oldest sixteen the youngest six. These present were entertained by W. F. Hunt's phonograph, after which ice cream, cake and fruit were served. The guests were numerous and useful, among them being \$60. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Letter to Chester W. Horne.

Dear Sir: There are several ways of cheating in milk. An old-fashioned way is to water it. Nobody waters it now. A better way is to take out the cream—rich milk with the cream taken out is as good as poor milk with the cream all in. But we need to go into particulars.

You don't rob your milk and your customers. Paint is as easy as milk to cheat with. Good paint is as easy as good milk; for human nature is much the same in milk men and paint men.

You are just as true with your milk; so are we with our paint. Devos Lead and Zinc is twice as good as mixed paints: There's twice as much butter in it.

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Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOS & CO.,
New York.

P. S. F. P. Stone sells our paint.

Edwin Allen is sick with tonsillitis.

Dr. E. C. Walker was in town last Friday.

Everett Taylor has gone to Augusta to visit relatives.

Jona. Bartlett lost a valuable team horse a few days since.

Mrs. Eliza Merrill visited at Albert Littlefield's on Saturday.

Geo. W. Speers has appeared to be improving in some respects of late.

John Russell is very sick with little hope of recovery as he is an aged man.

Christie Parker has been to Bryant's Pond, the past week, with her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Littlefield.

Mrs. S. L. Moody, who has been sick all winter, rode out one day last week for the first time.

There is a newly wedded couple in our neighborhood, viz. James E. Merrill and bride (nee Edith D. Meserve) of Lovell. The recent warm weather has settled the snow and made havoc with the roads. The brooks are full. The saw mill has been running the past week.

Second Annual Ball Successful.

Members of Company D Entertain Many Friends in the Opera House. Together with High Military Officials—Drill Appreciated, and Finely Executed.

Amid the glitter of gold lace, brass buttons, brightly polished sidearms and medals of honor and superiority that shone on the breasts of many uniforms more than 75 couples danced to the music of Stearns' orchestra of seven pieces in the Opera House, Friday evening, at the second annual ball given by members of Co. D, 1st Regiment, National Guard of the State of Maine.

In the gallery there was scarcely a vacant seat when the squad of 16 men and two guides marched on the floor at 8.15 to give their drill in calisthenics, and during the half-hour they went through the various evolutions under the command of Capt. J. Waldo Nash a wave of applause swept from one end of the house to the other. Included in the appreciative gathering were several officers prominent in military circles in the State, and at the close they were unanimous in giving unstinted praise to the members of the drill squad for the excellence of their showing.

The drill given was something new to those in attendance who have but a passing interest in military affairs. For many years it has been in vogue in the vast army of Germany and recently the standing troops of England have taken it up. Since the little brush with Spain in 1898, when it became apparent to army officials that Uncle Sam's soldier boys needed more exercise than that afforded with firearms it was decided to adopt a system of physical culture in the United States troops. Accordingly the gymnastic exercise was inaugurated, and it is of such a nature that the officers participate while a younger officer is in command.

The drill admits of great variety and when conducted as was that of Friday night cannot fail to be attractive whenever presented. The first and second exercises were given by the men, and included lunges of offense and defense, beginning slowly and ending with rapid and uniformity of motion that was surprising.

Hardly had the squad left the hall when the orchestra struck up "The Inspection" march, and Capt. and Mrs. J. Waldo Nash led the march which was made up of nearly 160 couples.

The decorations in the hall were of the Stars and Stripes. The floor manager was Capt. J. Waldo Nash and he had as aids Lieuts. Frank A. Hayden and Wilfred Parker. Co. Sergt. Charles P. Barnes; Sergts. Wallace W. Sheen, Sanger S. Maxim, Moses P. Stiles, Geo. A. Wilson, Jr.; Corps. Pearl Ripley, Guy Carter, W. P. Marston, Joseph Tallon.

The honorary aids were Col. E. F. Smith, Maj. B. F. Bradbury, Lieut. R. Eaton, Charles S. Akers, H. D. Cole and O. H. Cummings.

Col. L. H. Kendall spoke in glowing terms of the excellence of the drill given by the boys, and declared that it reflected great credit on the participants. "Of course I cannot say anything regarding the drilling of the members of the Second regiment companies," said the Colonel, "but in the First regiment there are few if any companies that can give as finely executed drill as the squad of Company D. You understand that the drill is not compulsory, yet I am glad to say that the men in the First regiment are so enthusiastic over its merits that they are adopting it voluntarily. Calisthenics are physically beneficial and the surprise to me is that its merits were not sooner discovered and adopted by the members of the State militia."

The decorations in the hall were of the patriotic strains and were arranged by Capt. Nash, W. P. Marston and Charles S. Akers. Over the stage, back of the orchestra, the Stars and Stripes reached from one end to the other of the scenic wings, and intertwined were the flags of the Grand Army Posts at Norway and South Paris. Lastly arranged in the center was the flag presented to Co. D by the Sons of Veterans before they left for the front in 1898. Around the hall, hanging to the gallery rail, were the national colors in a band more than three feet wide.

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Children's Corner.

East Stoneham, Maine, March 9, 1903.
DEAR EDITOR:—I have never written for the first time. I am a little girl nine years old today. I have three sisters and four brothers. My sisters' names are Iona, Cleola, Myrtle and Mildred. My brothers' names are Kip, Wendell and Joe. I have a kitty named Coony.

My sister Iona has gone on a visit to Norway. I will close now.
SUSIE P. FLANDERS.

East Stoneham.

Welchville, Me., March 9, 1903.

DEAR EDITOR:—This is a pleasant day. I thought I would write a few lines. I am eleven years old and go to school. My teacher's name is Grace M. Warren. For pets I have got two cats and a rabbit. I like to do housework. I wash dishes, sweep and make beds for my mother.

I have a little sister with curly hair and brown eyes, she is very cunning. I will close with a riddle, "It hangs and bears but never blossoms." Good bye for this time. I hope this letter will escape the waste basket, from
ESSIE MAY PRATT.

A Children's Home.

Dr. Eva Keith Greene of Malden, Mass., granddaughter of the late Daniel C. Holt of Bethel has been inaugurated in movement for the establishment near Boston, of a hospital and home for children suffering from chronic diseases.

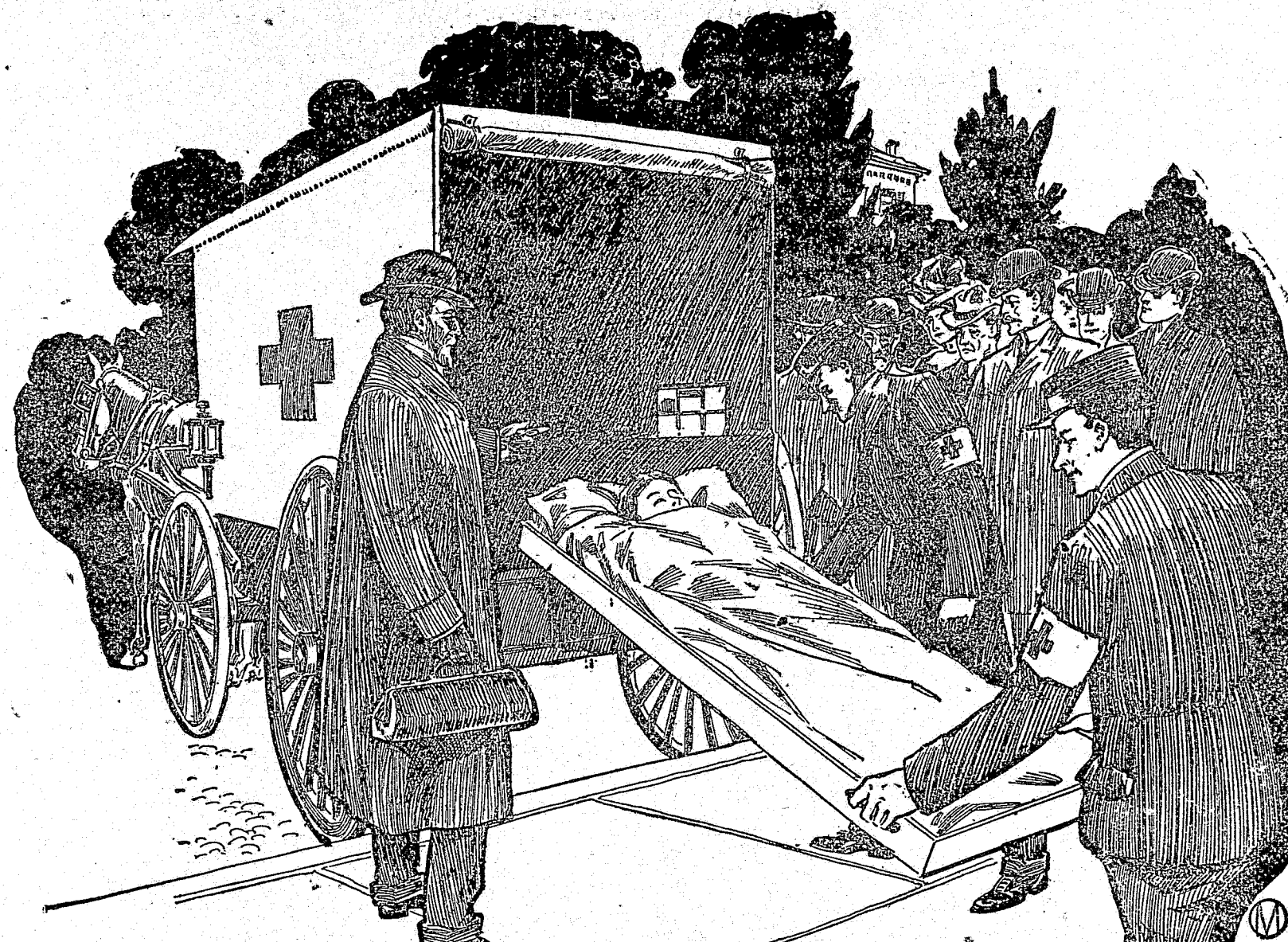
It is proposed that funds for building and maintenance shall be raised by children and "Sunshine Clubs" are being organized among the little folks for the purpose of soliciting contributions. A large lot of land in one of Boston's most beautiful suburbs has been tendered as a building site and much interest has been shown in the highly laudable undertaking. Dr. Greene was graduated from South Academy and attended the Korte Hill Seminary. She is a alumna of Tufts Medical school, Boston.

White Wyandottes.

I think the White Wyandottes are a comparatively new breed of fowls but I find the flocks of such are more numerous from year to year and I would like to hear what the owners of such have to say of their preference of them to other breeds.

A READER.

Have you eggs to sell for hatching? Use our want column.



A Hospital Case

There was a hurry call for the ambulance of the City Hospital. In the course of a few moments a very sick woman was brought in on a stretcher—she was pale as death and evidently suffering keen agony. There was a hasty examination and consultation, and in less than a quarter of an hour the poor creature was on the operating table to undergo an operation for ovaritis.

The above is an accurate account of an incident which occurred in New York recently; the young woman in question had warnings enough of her dangerous condition in the terrible pains and burning sensation low down in her left side. She had no one to advise her, and she suffered torture until it was too late for anything to save her life.

Women should remember that if they do not care to tell a doctor their troubles, they should be willing to tell them to a woman, who stands ever ready to advise and help them. Again we state that Mrs. Pinkham's advice is freely and confidentially given to every one who asks for it. Address, Lynn, Mass.

The following letters prove beyond question that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has the power to cure, and does cure thousands of cases of inflammation of the ovaries, womb, and all other derangements of the female organism.

MRS. OTTOSON SAVED FROM A SURGICAL OPERATION.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot thank you enough for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. If it had not been for your medicine, I think I would have died."

"I will tell you how I suffered. I could hardly walk, was unable to sleep or eat. Menstruation was irregular. At last I had to stay in my bed, and flowed so badly that they sent for a doctor, who said I had inflammation of the ovaries, and must go through an operation, as no medicine could help me, but I could not do that."

"I received a little book of yours, and after reading it I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now a well woman. I shall praise your medicine as long as I live, and also recommend the same to any one suffering as I was."—MRS. MINNIE OTTOSON, Otho, Iowa. (June 9, 1901.)

Follow the record of this medicine, and remember that these thousands of cures of women whose letters are constantly printed in this paper were not brought about by "something else," but by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the great Woman's Remedy for Women's Ills.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Moral:—Stick to the medicine that you know is Best. Write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice.

INFLAMMATION OF THE OVARIES CURED WITHOUT THE KNIFE.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to express my gratitude for the restored health and happiness Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has brought into my life."

"I had suffered for three years with terrible pains at the time of menstruation, and did not know what the trouble was until the doctor pronounced it inflammation of the ovaries, and proposed an operation."

"I felt so weak and sick that I felt sure I could not survive the ordeal, and so I told them that I would not undergo it. The following week I read an advertisement in the paper of your Vegetable Compound in such an emergency, and so I decided to try it. Great was my joy to find that I actually improved after taking two bottles, and was in excellent health, and am now."

"You surely deserve great success, and you have my very best wishes."—Miss ALICE BAILEY, 50 North Boulevard, Atlanta, Ga., Treasurer St. Francis Benevolent Association.

\$5000.00 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

A Ferry Controversy.

The Old Peru-Dixfield Row Is Still On. The old controversy involving the ferry across the Androscooggin between Peru and Dixfield is still on and not likely to be settled for some time to come.

The ferry is owned and maintained jointly by Peru and Dixfield. The boats have been kept on the Peru side of the river and tended by residents of Peru. For several years prior to 1902 the ferryman served for what toll he could get.

During the year above named the selectmen of Peru hired a man to tend at one dollar per day. The tolls received in excess of expense of tending, and left a margin of about eight dollars, at the close of the season. During the year 1901, the firm of Barrett & Kidder, who keep a general store in the place, had charge of the ferry and tended it in person. A large part of their trade has for years come from the Dixfield side of the river. When the firm held the contract to tend and care for the ferry, they adopted the custom of ferrying over and back without toll those patrons from the Dixfield side who came to trade with them and bought, so the report says, \$5 or more of goods.

The most of this service rendered to customers, as stated, was in a small boat, for foot passengers, owned by the firm, there being none of this kind owned by the towns. There was no complaint of the firm ferrying their customers without toll in their boat so long as they had the contract. During the last year the firm have moored their boat twenty to thirty rods below the ferry landing and have practiced ferrying more or less their customers without "hire," as they claim, and for their accommodation solely.

The penalty of the law touching their acts is to those "who without authority transport passengers or property across any licensed or established ferry for hire, or furnishes for hire a boat, etc., for such purpose, forfeits \$4 for each day, etc." Section 6, Chapter 20, Revised Statutes, 1884.

The first method employed by the town authorities to restrain the firm was as follows: During the summer the selectmen of each town caused to be circulated a petition to the county commissioners praying that the ferry be discontinued.

This petition received a good number of signers in both towns. Next followed a call in each town and warrants were posted for meetings to see if the towns would vote to instruct their selectmen to petition for discontinuance of the ferry. Each town so voted in a thinly attended town meeting.

There followed some overtures on the part of the firm to the selectmen of Peru, all of which were refused.

The firm continued to ferry unmolested the remainder of last year.

Crooked River Grange.

The next meeting of Crooked River Grange will be at the hall, Bolster's Mills, Saturday, March 1, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

Program:
Music.....Sadie Johnson
Reading.....Mrs. E. E. Stearns
Current.....Resolved that one who votes indecisively is preferable to one who is held in a thinly attended town meeting.
N. O. Pinkham.

Reading.....Fred Knight
Music.....Mrs. E. E. Stearns
Current.....Resolved that one who votes indecisively is preferable to one who is held in a thinly attended town meeting.
N. O. Pinkham.

Resubmission was defeated in the Senate 21 to 18.

Examination of Teachers.

All persons desirous of Teaching in the public schools of Norway during the school year 1903-1904, are hereby notified to be present at the high school room in Norway village, on Saturday, the fourth day of April, 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for examinations.

CHARLES P. BARNES,
12-14 Supt. Schools for the Town of Norway.

NORWAY TOWN FARM

Notice is hereby given that we are ready to receive proposals from all persons who wish to take charge of the Norway Town Farm for one year, term to commence April 1, 1903. No application at once.

SELECTMEN OF NORWAY.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Norway, and all Persons Liable to be Taxed thereon.
The undersigned, Assessors of the Town of Norway, hereby notify you to make and bring to them true and perfect lists of your polls and all your estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which you may be possessed on the first day of April, 1903, and that the subscribers will be in session at the assessors' office in schoolhouse, in Fryeburg Village, on Saturday, March 28, 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving said lists and making any complaints that may be brought before them.

Dated at said Norway this eleventh day of March, A. D. 1903.
E. E. STEARNS, Assessors of the Town of Norway.
F. L. MILLETT, of Norway.

NOTICE

The Selectmen will be in session at the assessors' office every Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock, until further notice, to attend to town business.

March 4, 1903.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that the Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Fryeburg will be in session at the so-called "Number 1 Schoolhouse," in Fryeburg Village, on Saturday, March 28, 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the examination of candidates proposing to teach in the public schools in said town.

SADIE M. LOCKE, Superintendent of Schools.
LEONARD M. ATKINSON, School Committee.
W. F. BARNES, of Fryeburg.
Fryeburg, Me., March 9, 1903.

TOWN PHYSICIAN

Proposals for the furnishing of Medical Attendance and Medicines to persons as the town is liable to support for the period of one year from the first day of April next, will be received by the undersigned until the first of March, when the award of a contract will be made to the party whose offer appears to be the most advantageous to the town.

Dated at Norway this 11th day of March, 1903.
A. J. STEARNS, Overseers of the Town of Norway.
F. L. MILLETT, of Norway.

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Eggs For Hatching

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for examination. See
ARLES P. BARNES,
of the Town of Norway.

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Norway Town Farm for one
ice April 1, 1903. Also
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EN OF NORWAY.

TAXPAYERS
the Town of Norway, and
be taxed thereon.
Assessors of the Town of
you to make and bring in
perfect lists, and your
states, real and per-
sonal, and that the sub-
scribing Assessors' Office,
in the Town of Norway,
will be open for the re-
ception of such lists, from
9 o'clock in the forenoon,
to 5 o'clock in the afternoon,
on the 1st day of April, 1903,
and may be brought before
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way this eleventh day of
March, 1903.

NOTICE
in session at the Assess-
ment office from 9 a. m. to 5
p. m., to attend to the
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PHYSICIAN
furnishing of Medical At-
tention to such persons as the
Board of Health may deem
proper, for the period of one
year, commencing on the 1st
day of April next, will be re-
newed until the 27th inst.,
and contracts will be made to
appear to be the most
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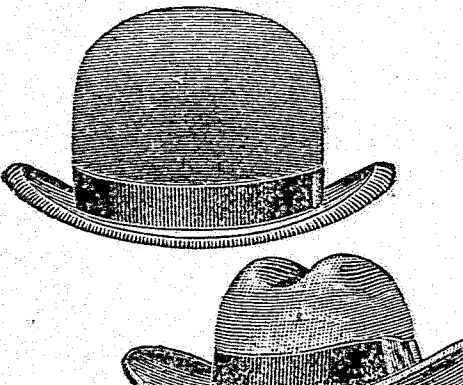
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FARM GARDEN

DANISH DAIRY METHOD.

Manipulation of the Udder as Practiced by Progressive Dairywomen.

A test of Danish dairy methods at the Wisconsin station, reported by Professor Woll in bulletin 96, shows a constant daily gain in the amount of milk from manipulation of the udder when milking.

The Soendergaard system, one of the methods taught in the dairy schools and used by progressive dairywomen in Denmark, is as follows:

First Manipulation.—The right quarters of the udder are pressed against each other (if the udder is very large

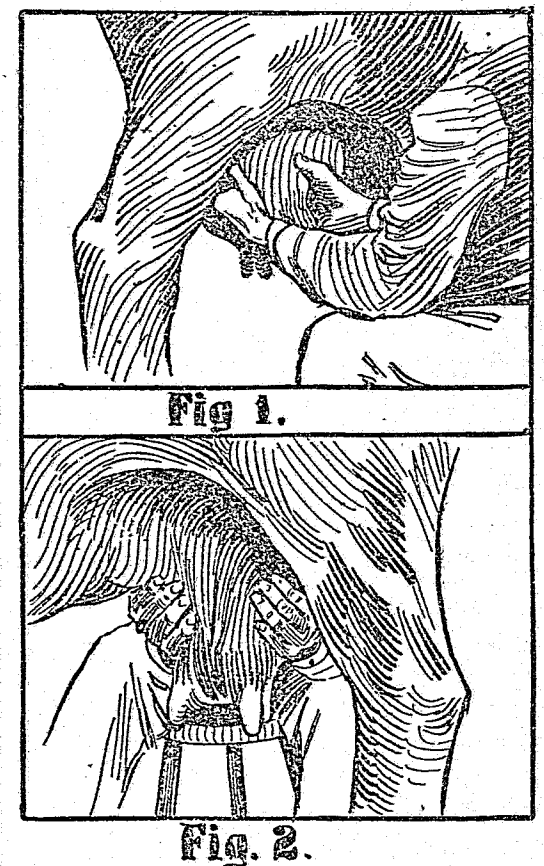


Fig. 2.

FIRST MANIPULATION.

only one-quarter at a time is taken), with the left hand on the hind quarter and the right hand in front on the fore quarter, the thumbs being placed on the outside of the udder and the four fingers in the division between the two halves of the udder. The hands are now pressed toward each other and at the same time lifted toward the body of the cow. This pressing and lifting are repeated three times; the milk collected in the milk cistern is then milked out and the manipulation repeated until no more milk is obtained, when the left quarters are treated in the same manner. See Figs. 1 and 2.

Second Manipulation.—The glands are pressed together from the side. The fore quarters are milked each by itself by placing one hand, with fingers spread, on the outside of the quarter and the other hand in the division between the right and left fore quarter. The hands are pressed against each other and the test then milked. The hind quarters are milked by placing a hand on the outside of each quarter, likewise with fingers spread and turned upward, but with the thumb just in front of the hind quarter. The hands

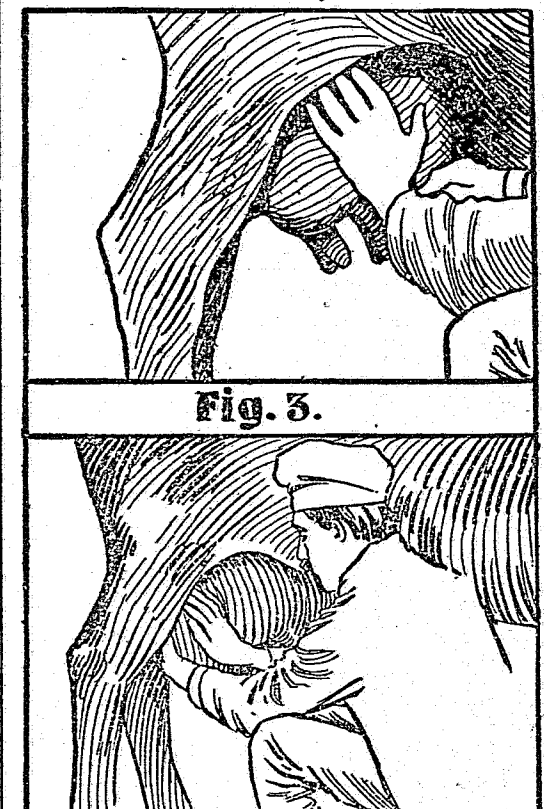


Fig. 4.

SECOND MANIPULATION.

are lifted and grasped into the gland from behind and from the side, after which they are lowered to draw the milk. See Figs. 3 and 4.

Third Manipulation.—The teats are grasped with partly closed hands and lifted with a push toward the body of the cow, both at the same time, by which method the glands are pressed between the hands and the body. The milk is drawn after each three pushes.

Important and Interesting.

A note from the Montana experiment station states that the chemists of the station, Dr. Traphagen and Mr. Burke, have succeeded in detecting the presence of salicylic acid in nearly all fruits and in many vegetables.

They were led to this investigation by finding salicylic acid in the currant jelly of a very reputable firm of wholesalers, who protested that they never used this antiseptic. Later the chemists mentioned found considerable amounts of salicylic acid in grape jelly and in crabapple jelly, made at the home of one of them—Dr. Traphagen—under absolutely normal conditions. This test led to a study of the fresh fruits, with the results above mentioned.

It is thought that the effects of this discovery will be far-reaching, in that the finding of small amounts of salicylic acid in foods will be no proof of its addition as an adulterant, and a quantitative analysis will in many cases be required before a positive statement may be safely made concerning the origin of salicylic acid found in canned goods.

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails. 10-12

TESTS FOR CLOTH.

How to Detect Frauds When Buying Fabrics

"Of the goods sold as 'all wool' there is not one-tenth that is genuine," said a writer in the Chicago Tribune. "In the greater part the main component is cotton. The test is simple. All that is necessary is to pull out a few threads and apply a lighted match. Cotton will go off in a blaze, and wool will shrivel up.

"To distinguish true, pure linen from the counterfeit article is even easier. The intending buyer need but wet her finger and apply it to the goods. If they be pure linen, the moisture will pass straight through. The spot touched will be soaked at once, and almost immediately one side will be as wet as the other.

"Frauds are more numerous in silk than in any other fabric, but here also the material of adulteration is cotton. Its presence can readily be discovered. Draw a few threads out. The pieces of cotton will snap off short when pulled, while the silk will stretch and permit a considerable pull before breaking.

"Silk, cotton and wool are the three materials of cloth, and by the methods given the purchaser can at least make certain that she is obtaining what she paid for.

"Concerning silk it may be remarked that the stuff our grandmothers used to talk about that stood by itself is not necessarily the best. Modern ingenuity has devised means of giving the poorest article the body requisite for this purpose.

"Shellac and other sticky substances mixed through the fabric will produce as stiff a silk as ever graced the closet of an ancestral mansion. Such stuff is quite worthless. It rots away in no time. As a matter of fact the silks most prized at present are of the soft variety, with no more rigidity than muslin.

"Counterfeit (machine made) lace is often offered as the genuine handmade article. At first glance it is identical with the real thing. Even one who is not an expert, however, can distinguish the difference with a little care. Machine lace is always exactly regular in its pattern, every figure the same shape, length, thickness, and so forth. In the handmade article there are always little irregularities."

How to Tell an Egg's Age.

The age of an egg is now discovered by immersing it in a solution of salt containing about eight ounces to the pint. When the salt has thoroughly dissolved, the egg is to be tested by dropping gently into the glass containing the solution. If the egg is only one day old, it sinks immediately to the bottom; if three days old, it sinks just below the surface only, and from five days and upward it floats.

How to Freshen a Dress.

A clever bachelor girl who works all day long and every day in a very dusty locality has imparted the secret of the spick and span appearance that is the envy of all her associates. Regularly once a week she lightly sponges her plain, trim business suit with tepid water to which have been added a little liquid ammonia and a suspicion of powdered borax. While still slightly damp the skirt and coat are pressed carefully, the household laundry irons being employed for this purpose. The entire process consumes but a few minutes, and the result is a perpetual and perennial freshness and cleanliness possible in no other way.

How to Make Chestnut Pudding.

Make a pint of chestnut puree, sweetened and flavored with vanilla, adding a few spoonfuls of whipped cream just before the jelly sets; cover a mold with a thin coating of orange jelly, then about an inch of rich brown chocolate Bavarian cream, and when set fill the center with the chestnut jelly; set away on ice to harden.

How to Mend Table Linen.

Always do this before sending it to wash: Provide yourself with flourishing cotton in different sizes, according to the fineness or coarseness of your linen. Paste a piece of stiff paper over the hole on the right side and then darn very carefully with the flourishing thread on the wrong. The darn should reach half an inch beyond the tear on all sides, and the crossing must be very neatly and accurately done. It is really more satisfactory to mend these places before they reach the hole stage and takes far less time.

How to Brighten Discolored Spoons.

Silver spoons that have become discolored from contact with cooked eggs may be easily brightened by rubbing with common salt. Coal gas and the near presence of rubber in any form will cause silver to tarnish. One of the best receptacles for silverware cutlery is a canton flannel knife case tacked to a closet door.

How to Reduce a Double Chin.

Superfluous flesh can be reduced by constant exercise, and this especially applies to a double chin. Lower the chin upon the chest, stretching the neck as far as you can and bringing the chin forward and down. Throw the head back until the chin is very high in the air. Keep on doing this. Lower the chin and raise it until you have performed this motion at least twenty-five times. You should do this every morning and every night as long as you are afflicted with a double chin.

How to Drive Away Mice.

Saturate a cloth with a solution of cayenne pepper and stuff it into the hole or sprinkle a good layer of cayenne inside and then fill up which a good deal of cayenne has been used. Mice loathe the smell of cayenne and will not come near it.

You can buy ashes by the car load. See ad. in another column. Address: Simon Stahl, Berlin, N. H.

Woman's World

MRS. J. S. FREESE.

She Is One of the Most Expert Guides and Hunters in Maine.

Of the 1,800 registered guides in Maine there are three women, and of these the only one in the region of the headwaters of the Penobscot is Mrs. J. S. Freese of Riverton. Mrs. Freese is a young lady, bright and vivacious, and talks very entertainingly, though modestly, of her life in the woods.

"I do not make a business of guiding," she said in the course of an interview. "I have a nice home and all the comforts one can wish for, but I have many friends who come from a considerable distance to hunt hereabout, and they wish me to take them into the woods. This is as great a pleasure for me as for them, and so it is that I have applied and received a guide's license. I have tramped, hunted, fish-



MRS. J. S. FREESE.

ed and canoed in this region since I was a child, and it is almost second nature to me. I love the woods and the creatures of the woods, and am happy when with them.

"My favorite hunting ground is reached by a nine mile canoe trip and four miles of tramping, to say nothing of the distance in actual hunting and then the journey home. I have made this trip regularly and come home not as much exhausted as many people after an afternoon of shopping. I have shot nearly every kind of game in the Maine woods, and every season am pretty sure to get my allowance. I like bird hunting over my dog Willie.

"Get lost—never! I always carry a compass, but seldom need it, as I am familiar with the country for miles around, and even if I was obliged to stay out over night I shouldn't mind it. Registered guides don't get lost."

Mrs. Freese is no doubt one of the most expert hunters and guides in Maine. She is a deadly shot with a rifle and rarely misses a deer when she finds one which she thinks is worthy to be counted as one of her allowance. She is also a fine wing shot and brings in large bags of birds in the season.

Mrs. Freese is also quite expert at tanning skins and has some very fine specimens of her handiwork. In her hunting career she has had a number of interesting and exciting adventures, but has never yet been scared of anything which the wilds of Maine has produced and has met all kinds of the wildest denizens. She hunts all through the winter and spends weeks in her camp during the coldest of the weather, which has no terrors for her.

Shopwork Versus Housework.

The Wisconsin state labor bureau has been collecting reasons why girls prefer work in factories and stores to household service. Inquiries were sent to 769 persons. Among the answers were these:

"If ladies would only give girls better rooms, kinder treatment and warmer beds and let them live independently, more girls would do housework."

"I went into the factory because I wished to be treated like a human being."

"The reason I won't do housework is because I will not be treated like half a slave and always a nobody."

"I love housework; but, like a host of other girls, I refuse to do it under present conditions."

"I am treated better in the factory in every way, and, besides, I am no longer obliged to entertain in the kitchen or receive my friends at the back door, since I can live at home with my own people."

There is no sign in these replies of an instance on the part of servants that they be regarded as members of the family. They desire as little to intrude on other circles as they wish for intrusion upon their own. But they complain justly when the fact of social distinctions is thrust upon them with bald brutality. The Wisconsin answers, which would probably be good for any other state, suggest that upon the untactful mistress of the house lies a large burden of responsibility for "the servant girl problem" as it is—New York World.

Dressing of the Windows.

The best way of hanging a curtain is by rings from a stout pole if it is heavy or from a slender brass rod if it is light. Window curtains may reach to the floor and be looped back with

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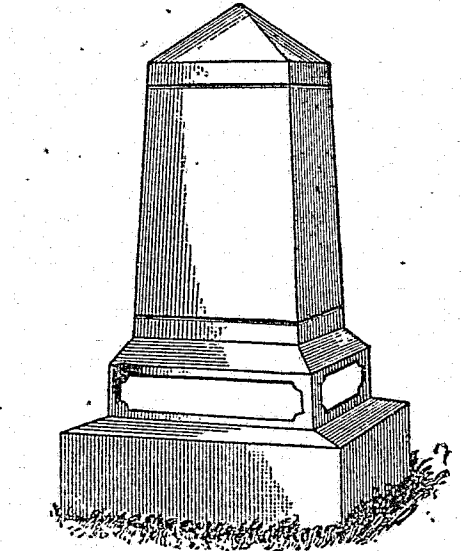
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